

Secrets and Lies1

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Ayame is a mix-blood, She moves to a new town she meets two mysterious brothers with a deadly secret, One hates her and the other is her soulmate,A war is starting Ayame will protect her loved ones...but at what cost?



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Chapter 1

Chapter 1

The town is small, quiet and peaceful its just what Ayame was hoping for. A fresh new life, new start, new self.

There was one problem... Ayame Lockhill is a 200 year old vampire with a small slim frame standing about 5ft6 with long black hair and electric blue eyes, she looks like she is 21, people believed that until they noticed she didn't aged..thats when the rumours started, thats when she ran never looking back. So here she is in a small town called GreenBank, she pulled her silver Miata up the drive of her new home she sighed gently to herself she was tired and it had been a long drive the only thing she wanted now was her bed and sleep.

She pulled her tired body out of the car shutting the door slowly walking to her new door, she opened the door seeing all her stuff had been unpacked, she reminded herself to thank the movers next time she saw them, she pulled herself up the stairs into her bedroom, she was asleep before her head hit the pillow.

There was a lot of shouting outside Ayame tried to ignore it but she couldn't she looked over to her clock it showed her it was 3:45am with a sigh she pulled herself out of the warm bed and walked downstairs to her porch, she saw two very angry looking men shouting at each other, she walked quickly to them.

" Excuse me? Could you go argue somewhere else please? Some of us are trying to sleep" she said when she reached the men.

Both men turned to her, her breath stopped as she saw them, she took in their beauty, One man was about 6ft2 with short spikey brown hair with deep chocolate eyes his muscles strained against his top, she looked at the other man, he was more beautiful than the first man, he had short,glossy black hair with emerald green eyes he was about 6ft5 his muscles to strained against his shirt. Ayame wondered if they were related somehow they both looked familiar the only thing that stopped her from talking was the black aura's around them.

Suddenly she didn't feel safe because she knew she wasn't the only creature of the night around here...

" Hello my name is Ash" said the emerald eyed one

" Im James" The other man said in a cold tone.

"I'm sorry we caused you a problem but my brother, is very short tempered and i was trying to calm him down" Ash the emerald eyed man said softly.

Ayame nodded unable to trust her voice or herself, James kept glancing over to Ayame then to Ash, after a few minutes of silence James spoke.

"Let me take you back to your door, make sure you get home safe" James said with a smile that made Ayame's stomach drop.

"I'm able to walk myself back thank you..er...James. Good night gentlemen" Ayame replied as she hurried off.

When she reached her door, she opened it quickly then locked it, she knew she couldn't sleep not after seeing the brothers.

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When the sun rised Ayame walked to her oversized bathroom seeing it for the first time, she had a huge walk in shower a bath which was more like a hotube a toliet, sink and a big mirror the blue wallpaper made her eyes stand out more...

Ayame pulled off her clothes and turned the shower on as she stepped into it, shutting her eyes as the water washed over her body, soothing away last night's worries, she quickly washed and got out, pulling a new fresh towel over her body, she walked back into her bedroom singing to make the house more lively, she went into her walk in wardrobe pulling a plain white tee over her body and black shorts over her legs.

Knock.

Ayame froze, she heard a knock... She stiffened slightly wondering who it was, she flittered downstairs, breathing in deeply trying to get a scent but frowned when she couldn't, she opened the door a bit to see who it was, she held her breath when she saw those too familiar chocolate eyes again, James, he had come back.

" Hello again...er...i never got your name last night... I was hoping we could talk?" James said in a cool tone

Ayame stood there her heart racing and her palms got sweaty...

"Its Ayame, er..sure i guess...whats up?" Ayame replied in a tone which was more calm then she felt, it took her by suprise.

James looked at Ayame, his eyes tracing her head to foor, this made Ayame feel uncomfortable, James smiled as if he knew she felt uncomfortable.

"May i come in please Ayame?" James said in a warmer tone, this sudden tone change made Ayame confused and uncomfortable even more

"Sure" Ayame opened the door wider "Come in" She replied, James smiled again, he walked into the house, Ayame shut the door behind him hiding the worry on her face.

She turned around to see James looking at a family photo, Ayame kept her face blank and hide the pain, James put it down and looked to Ayame he didn't say anything...

"Wo..would you like a drink or anything?" Ayame mumbled while looking at the family photo, James shoot his head,Ayame pointed to the sofa, James sat and she went to the chair oppsite him.

"So...What can i help you with?" Ayame asked

" I know what went through your mind last night, when you saw me and brother" James said in a cold flat tone.

Ayame's body grew cold, she didn't know what to do next, she thought about flittering into the kitchen and getting help when James cleared his throat.

" I wouldn't do that if i was you Ayame, ill catch you in no time"

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"No you couldn't you don't know what your talking about!" Ayame hissed as she stood up a little to fast for a human.

The next thing James had pinned Ayame to the wall his eyes holding her gaze in place.

" I told you not to, i know what you are!" James snapped "Stay away from me and my brother Ayame. this is your only warning" His eyes glazed over with haterid, Ayame was too scared to talk so she nodded. There was a knock at the door, Ayame jumped as she went to scream James put his hand over her mouth and pressed hard, his eyes warned her not to scream but she was more worried at how big his hand was and how dangerously strong it looked.

Ayame got pissed off, she thought *not a chance am i being told what to do!* She built up her strength in her arms and threw James off her.

"Get out of my house now!" She snarled at James, James stood up, looking more angry than before, Ayame ran to the door, opening it before James could react....

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Ash was stood at the door, he smiled at Ayame this made her relax instantly she remembered James, she looked over her shoulder she noticed he was gone but there was a dent in the wall where she was...

" Hello? Earth calling beautiful?" Ash said jokingly.

"Oh...Im sorry" Ayame stammered and blushed.

"Its okay sweetheart, i came by to see if i could get you out tonight?" Ash said " To the see the town i mean" he quickly added.

Ayame's heart stopped, she wondered how two brothers could be so different, she looked into his emerald green eyes, smiling.

"Yeah, yeah i'd like that"

Ash's eyes sparkled this made Ayame smile even more.

"Great! I'll come get you at 7:30?"

Ayame smiled again and nodded.

"Sounds good enough for me"

"So i guess ill see you then Ayame" Ash said smiling at her, trying hard to control his excitement.

Ayame nodded, Ash then stroked Ayame's cheek and left. Where his finger was left a tingle feeling inside Ayame's chest and her cheek was warm, she raised a hand to it as she shut the door, she looked at her coffee table, she gasped as she saw a bunch of fresh roses laid down perfectly she saw a note in them, she grabbed it.

It read

" i can't wait for tonight, hope you'll enjoy it. Ash"

Ayame smiled but then became confused, she knew she never let Ash in only James came in, she began to wonder what he was, her curiosity got the better of her, she flittered to the library, turning on her laptop, she went into the kitchen to get food whilst she waited.

Ayame opened the fridge, It was full with human food, they were only there as props, her real food was behind it all, she reach behind some orange juice and pulled out a small bottle which was filled with human blood, she pulled the lid off, she took a deep drink from the bottle, her eyes flash red then settled back to their blue, she walked back to the library, she sat down at the table, typing away at the laptop.

Chapter 4

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Ayame had looked at the same wall for most of the day, she was in shock she couldn't do anything...

She found out what the brothers were her kind Vampires are forbidden to be with... The brothers are Lycan's the first Original bloods that started the Lycan race.

Ayame remembers her family keeping her hidden from the world for years until they knew she was safe, she never knew but she was going to find out why.

Knock, knock.

Ayame's frozen state was broken she snapped her head to the door, she listened

Knock, Knock.

Ayame looked at the clock it was 7:20pm, she totally forgot about Ash!

She flittered upstairs she quickly threw on blue jeans and a white shirt with flats, she flittered to door, yanking it open she smiled.

"Hey, sorry i didn't answer, i never heard you" Ayame lied through her smile.

"Its okay, im early any way, hope its not a problem" Ash said smiling back

"Oh no, it's not, its fine i was busy..." Ayame broke off not sure what to say.

Ash held his arm out.

"Shall we madam?" Ash asked with a cute smile, Ayame locked her door, she slipped her hand through the loop in his arm, resting her hand gently.

Her heart pounding and, her emotions were everywhere she felt safe, loved but was also worried about the fact she was going out with a Lycan!

"Everything okay?" Ash asked as he walked Ayame to his glossy black BMW

"No its fine, sorry i seem distant just....getting use to a new surrounding thats all" Ayame replied with her flirty smile that she used when she tried to get out of problems.

Ash smiled back, he opened her car door, Ayame climbed into the car, Ash shut the door once she was sat, Ayame panicked she told her self to calm down, he didn't seem to be the bad breed of Lycan. Ash got into the driver seat, he started the car then drove back out of Ayame's drive.

They both sat in silence having the odd word, After a few more minutes Ash stopped the car outside a fair, the lights blinded Ayame but her eyes quickly focused again.

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"Here we are, i kind of lied i brought you here its the annuel fair this town has" Ash said as he glanced over to Ayame.

Ayamed looked back to Ash her pulse gettting faster the more she looked at him.

"Oh well.. it should be fun..." Ayame finally said "I haven't been to a fair in years" She smiled at Ash again.

Ash smiled back he climbed out of his side, shut the door and was at Ayame's door before she could touch the door handle, Ash looked at Ayame, he grinned, Ayamed blinked twice then smiled. 'Nothing like showing what you are' Ayame thought.

Ayame climbed out of the car, she lost her breath as the smell of humans overpowered her, her senses went into overdrive, she forced her animal instincts to calm down.

Ash watched Ayame he waited for her, he knew what she was at the first look but he needed to know her and be close, there was something about her that he couldn't keep away from...

Ayame finally calmed down, she blushed and smiled at Ash, Ash held his hand out of Ayame to take, she looked down she slipped her finger inbetween his, Ash squeezed her hand to reassure her everything was ok.

They both took at deep breath and walked into the fair. Together.

Chapter 5

After a few hours of hearing humans laughing and screaming it became too much for Ash and Ayame to resist their blood so they left.

Ash opened Ayame's door, she slid in, feeling giddy from the alcohol, Ash got into his seat, he had drunk but not much, he drove back Ayame's, glancing at her seeing her cuddling the gray wolf he won her.

"Thank you for tonight Ash, I really enjoyed it" Ayame said softly, Ash looked over to Ayame they both smiled gently their eyes locking into each other's.

"It's okay Ayame, I enjoyed it too" Ash replied.

The car stopped at a set of traffic lights, Ayame looked down to the gray teddy, she noticed it was a wolf, she gasped slightly, she wondered if this gray wolf was the color of Ash in his form? She didn't say anything...

Ayame prayed the lights would change she wanted to be home where people could see her if anything went wrong, finally the lights changed, she relaxed slightly knowing she will be home soon. Ash pulled his BMW up Ayame's drive he stopped the engine, both of their hearts beating hard and fast, both convinced the other could hear. Ayame broke the silence first.

"Would you like...to..um...come inside?" Ayame stammered.

Ash looked at Ayame, he quickly glanced at the dashboard, the clock illuminated the time it was 12:40pm.

"Sure, but only for a while, it's late and you'll need your sleep" He replied.

Both of them got out of the car, walking to Ayame's door, she opened her house.

"Come inside Ash, please?" Ayame asked shyly.

Ash stepped in he let out a low slow whistle.

"Nice house" Ash said in a voice full of surprise.

Ayame glanced around the room, it didn't look much different from her other homes, she only had her 52-inch TV, two black long leather sofas, a fire place, a white leather chair, coffee table and family photos.

"Would you like a drink?" Ayame asked quietly.

Ash shook his head, he saw a dent in the wall next to the fire, he looked at Ayame but she didn't notice it so he let it drop.

Ayame walked to get a drink, Ash looked at the pictures, he picked a photo up of Ayame and her Mother, they look so much alike, Ash knew what Ayame was...She was a mix-blood but she didn't know it, she has been raised as a Vampire. Good. Ash thought.

He knew he couldn't love her, he tried not to but there was something there between them he couldn't deny it.

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Ayame walked back into the living room as Ash put the picture down, Ash turned to her he flash his best smile to her, she smiled back, they were 2feet away from each other.

Do it already, Ash thought.

Ash wanted to protect her for the rest of his life, when he saw her the first time his life totally change, he couldnt keep away and she was all he could see and hear, she was everything he needed.

It was too late, they both knew they loved each other, the soulmate rule had them held strong and not letting them go, Ayame looked down she blushed then looked at Ash.

"I think its best i leave" Ash said in a quiet voice.

Ayame looked at him.

"You..you don't have to go" Ayame replied shly.

Ash looked at Ayame, he was shocked by her response, he moved closer to Ayame, He pulled her to him, she stumbled and laughed.

"WOAH! ASH!" Ayame exclaimed as he held onto her.

"Sorry, used more strength than i should" Ash said with a chuckle.

Ayame felt safe, his strong arms around her protecting her, she rested her head on his shoulder they both looked at each other, their lips a few inches away, Ash bent closer...

RING! Ash's phone rang, Ayame jumped and Ash cured quietly. He looked at it, it was James, he frowned then looked to Ayame.

"I best go, my brother is needing me" Ash said in a tone of regret.

Ayame nodded.

" I understand" She said quietly.

Ash looked at her and left.

Chapter 6

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It's been a while since Ash and Ayame had their close encounter, it's all Ayame has been thinking about, she tried to carry on her daily chores but she kept thinking about Ash.

Ayame was in the garden, she just finished cleaning the pool now she was getting rid of the weeds, they annoyed her, they do they have to be in way? She thought.

She was knelt in the soil singing softly as she pulled the weeds out from the roses, she knew she would be here forever, the sun was beating down and burning her even though she had her protection necklace on. She looked around no-one was around she chanted a quick latin spell and watched all the weeds go.

Brushing herself off as she stood up, she walked right into a soild mass, she tried to scream but something hit her hard in the stomach and sent her flying into the woods behind her home, she landed on the grass, she couldn't breath she groaned she touched her back she had a stick stuck in her back.

Ouch Ayame thought.

She pulled herself up looking around when she got hit again and was sent deeper into the woods now this pissed her off, she stood up quickly, looking around.

Crunch

Ayame froze held her breath and listened.

Crunch Crunch.

She looked to her left then out of nowhere something tackled her into a tree Ayame lost her breath again, everything was spinning her breath becoming weak and gray spots in her eyes.

She cried to shout for help when a hand clamped down over her mouth, stopping any sound, her vision came back, she was a woman, with long blond hair and eyes that shifted between green and blue, she could tell she was a Lycan, Ayame snarled, her animal instincts kicked in, her fangs grew into a length that only belonged to a dangerous animal her eyes shifted from her blue to blood red, she growled and hissed at the Lycan.

She threw the blonde stranger off her and saw her land on a boulder and watched it break under her.

The stranger stood up, she pulled a branch off a tree, snapping it in half to make a homemade stake, Ayame froze, horror crept into her eyes, this made the stranger laugh Ayame backed up slightly then tried to run but the Lycan caught her top she rammed the stake in Ayame's side, Ayame cried as hot scearing pain ripped through her side, Ayame dropped to the floor, she pulled the stake out.

"Leave the WhiteWood brothers alone or i'll make sure your never found again!" The blonde stranger hissed.

Ayame looked up to her, her fangs retracted but her eyes stayed red.

"Fuck you bitch" Ayame spat, the Lycan looked shocked then got really angry she picked Ayame up slamming Ayame into a tree again.

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The Lycan made Ayame's head hit the wood and laughed when she heard it crack and watches the blood run down her top.

Ayame lost consciousness the Lycan didn't care, she stabbed her again in the chest with the stake, just missing Ayame's heart, more unbearable pain ripped through Ayame.

Ayame woke up to see the Lycan one last time as the Lycan kicked Ayame in the head.

Ayame lost consciousness again and didn't wake up.

The Lycan looked at the limp body she smirked to her self and flittered out before the brothers came.

Chapter 7

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Ash had been knocking on Ayame's door for five minutes and not getting a response.

"Come on brother she clearly isn't home, just come back later" James said, looking at Ash as he turned.

"James you know as well as me that she can't go out during the day, she always stays inside..." Ash said, he knocked again, James sighed.

James looked to the side gate, he saw it was open, frowning he nudged Ash but then regretted it. Ash looked to the gate, he pushed past James without saying a word.

Both brothers walked into the back yard, Ash looked around to find Ayame but he couldn't, James attempted to look but he couldn't care about the Mix-Blood he wanted to go hunt to pass the time.

"She clearly isn't in like I said she would be Ash" James sounded annoyed, Ash looked to James and frowned.

"Yeah, yeah maybe your right I'll come back..." Ash broke off as the wind blew gently past him, he caught a scent of blood and it was fresh, both brothers looked to each other, Ash took off running first, James sighed and soon followed him.

The brothers appeared at the edge of the woods, the scent stronger, Hunger grew in James and Ash's throat, Ash walked ahead James following behind him, Ash stopped, James looked to him and then carried on walking letting his brother control his thirst.

James noticed broken tree's branches and dead animals but mainly blood. Blood was everywhere the smell was overpowering, he could hear a faint heartbeat trying to live, He soon heard Ash curse under his breath.

"What the hell has caused this?" Ash muttered to himself.

James shrugged, he kept walking, he started to walk into a bush but his boot hit something, he looked down both he and his brother didn't prepare to see a body limp and soaked in blood hidden.

Ash pushed James out of the way, he choked back a sob as he saw it was Ayame, he pulled her black matted hair off her face, as he did blood trailed across her face, he growled.

"Who ever did this is going to pay Ayame I promise." Ash muttered to the unconscious body.

James watched Ash pick Ayame's body up, he saw how pale she was and how limp her body was against his brothers, he had to do something.

"Let me take her brother... You stay and find out who did this..." James said softly, Ash looked to him in utter shock, he looked down to Ayame, he then nodded and gave James her body, James held his breath as blood dripped onto his shirt.

"You better get her to the hospital, we can't let her die..." Ash said, kicking a branch away.

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James nodded, he turned and flittered away from Ash and the blood scene getting Ayame to the closest hospital.

Ash watched them leave, he turned around looking to the mess in front of him, the wind blew again, he caught a smell of orange blossoms, the one scent he'd never forget...

Ash turned around to quickly see a blond burr run past, he sensed the burr's next move, he threw his arm out, catching the blurr by its throat and slammed it into a tree, his eyes shifted amber.

" You got nerve showing your face around here Elizabeth" Ash snarled.

Elizabeth laughed, her long blond locks hitting her waist as she laughed, she looked to Ash her eyes amber and she was covered in blood.

" Nice to see you too Mr WhiteWood, is this how you treat ladies these days?" Elizabeth said, slipping out of Ash's grasp.

" Your not a lady, you never were so why should I treat you like one Elizabeth and what are you doing here?"

" Oh, i've been here for a while Ash, but you haven't noticed and i see you met the Mix-Blood...well she wont be around for much longer"

Ash's eyes widen Elizabeth attacked Ayame? No it cant be true...can it? He thought to himself

"Oh yes Ash, I Elizabeth attacked your little Mix-Blood and left her for dead" Elizabeth said, her eyes sparkling with power, Ash snarled.

"Your a bitch! You best hope my brother has her at the hospital because if not ill rip your throat out!" Ash snapped.

Elizabeth flittered to Ash she grabbed his throat, lifting him up she began to choke him, Ash struggled to breath.

" How many times before have I told you not to mess with a first born Lycan Ash? you'll never win!!" Elizabeth snarled.

"ELIZABETH!! LET GO OF MR WHITEWOOD!!!" a voiced shouted from the tree's Elizabeth dropped Ash, Ash fell catching is breath he looked up to see a man standing arond 6ft7 with black hair, amber eyes, a scar above his left eyebrow and wearing all black.

"Marcus..." Ash muttered as he stood up.

" Ah, so you have heard of the first ever Mix-Blood? Good. Just made this whole thing ten times easier for me" Marcus replied, Elizabeth moved to Marcus' side, she glared to Ash.

Ash knew better than to start a fight with Marcus, so he stood there and hoped and prayed James got Ayame to the hospital before it was too late.

Chapter 8

(Sorry its a short Chapter!!!)

Chapter 8

James appeared outside of the hospital, he held onto Ayame tightly, his shirt soaked with her blood, he bursts through the door, breathing hard, his hair messy, Ayame was growing colder her hair looked more black than the night.

" SOME-ONE HELP HER!! SHE'S BEEN ATTACKED!!!" James shouted.

Everyone paused and looked to the body then 5 doctors ran to James taking Ayame out of his arms quickly, placing her on a bed and ran off to the OR with her, a nurse saw the blood on James then saw Ayame and screamed in horror, James rolled his eyes.

"Sir, can you tell us what happened?" A doctor said as she walked James to the waiting room, James stayed quiet refusing to talk.

James looked into a surgon's mind then regretted it, he saw doctors putting IV's and blood into Ayame's body he watched them putting an oxygen mask on her face and starting to sitch her wounds, James shut his mind after refusing to see more.

He stood up, pacing around the room, waiting for her to come back, time was passing to quickly...He waited for his brother.

Ash shoved the hospital doors open and glass broke off the door, Ash didnt stop to care, He was calmer now he left Marcus and Elizabeth he made it clear to them he would seek revenge if Ayame died.

Ash sensed James and flittered to him, James jumped as Ash appeared.

" Fucking hell brother!! Could you like....not try make me jump!!" James shouted. Ash hit his arm

" Shut up brother!! I knew who did it...Who attacked Ayame..." Ash whispered pulling James away from the waiting room James looked to Ash.

"Who?"

"Elizabeth"

James looked at Ash again in shock, his heart beating fast, his memories began to come back in a huge flash to the first time he ever saw her.

"But how? She left years ago! She said she was DYING ASH!!!"

"She also brought Marcus...THE first Mix-blood...he's come back for Ayame..."

James shook his head he didnt care about Ayame, only Elizabeth...

Ash grabbed James, slamming him into a wall he hissed.

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" YOU might not care about Ayame but i do! That bitch left you brother! So much for the Soul-mate principle!!"

The wall crumbled James he shook his head.

"Get off me now brother or you'll join her!"

Ash laughed. " You think you could fight your older brother? Really James? Shut the hell up" Ash snapped .

Ash let go of James and walked off. James followed his brother.

"Where you going?" James grabbed Ash, Ash pulled his arm away.

"To see Ayame, the surgon's have brought her out"

Chapter 9

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(sorry guys this is another short one!!)

The nurse fitted the last tube to Ayame's hand, she looked to the men and left.

James sat on a chair next to Ayame, looking to her, Ash pulled another chair up next to his brother neither of them said a word.

The machine was showing Ayame's heart was beating a stable rate, Ash looked to Ayame's face, it was bruised and he felt sick.

James stood up, walking to the window he looked out to see a ambulance pull up and saw a child screaming as the door opened, he rolled his eyes, humans always got their selves into trouble and could never get out of it, He looked to the moon seeing it had a dark red shade, he smirked knowing it won't be long until the Lycan's came to hunt.

Ash had fallen asleep so James slipped out of the room to get a coffee, when he caught a scent of orange blossom's he snapped his head up and rushed to the smell.

He opened a ward door, to see a teenage girl spraying purefume he growled and shut the door.

He walked around the hospital for a few hours, trying to distract himself. He finally ended up back at Ayame's room, Ashe sat wide away he looked to James.

"Go home and get some sleep and food" Ash whispered, James looked to him and shook his head.

" I said go home James"

James sighed, Ash threw his car keys to James, James caught them and walked out.

Leaving Ayame and Ash alone, Ash rested his head on the bed pole.

" Please wake up Ayame, I..." He took a deep breath " I love you please don't leave me..."

James heard what Ash say when he shut the door, he felt sorry for his big brother, he knew what it was like losing a loved one, he walked into the car park.

Found ash's BMW he started the car and drove home, thinking about Elizabeth...

Chapter 10

< Author announcement, sorry i have written this is a while, its starting to more action packed soon and a steamy sex scene will be on its way! Thank you to all those who have been waiting! >

Chapter 10

~Two months later~

Beep,

Beep, Beep

Beep, Beep, Beep

Ayame heard beeping in the distance she frowned to her self not wanting to wake up, the constant beeping was pulling Ayame away from her sleep, that was when her memories came flooding back, the brothers, the Lycan, the attack...

James noticed Ayame stirring first he nudged Ash who looked to her and moved to her side, James followed, Ayame's eyes fluttered once, twice they finally opened and the brothers held their breath...

~Two hours later~

The nurse finally took the tube out of Ayame's throat, Ayame cough and sat up, looking at the nurse she felt uneasy with her self and looked to Ash.

" You gave everyone a good scare miss, you're lucky theses two men found you" The nurse said, Ayame looked to the nurse, she nodded once.

" You hardly have scars besides the one on your stomach, but that should leave soon" The nurse added, Ayame looked down to seeing the scar, she sighed. Perfect just what i need she thought.

"Mm, could you give us some time..alone.." James said to the nurse with a command tone in his voice, the nurse looked into James' eyes she nodded, Ayame felt James influence the nurses mind, she stayed quiet and looked at Ash.

Ash looked to James then back to Ayame he stayed quiet but Ayame looked at James and frowned.

" You didn't have to do that James. She was going to be leaving any way" Ayame whispered James looked to Ash and shook his head.

" How could you sense what I did Ayame? Only our kind can sense it..." James replied with his voice thick with confusion

Ayame shook her head not sure what to say, she didn't feel like her self, maybe it was the blood that she was given.

Ayame tried to get out of the bed James pushed her back down.

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"Get the fuck off me! " Ayame snapped pushing James back, James glared to her.

" Don't talk to me like that!" James snapped back moving closer to her, Ash stood in the middle of them.

" Enough! The pair of you!!" Ash shouted, James looked to Ash his eyes hinting with amber he shook his head.

" She's only going to cause us trouble and you fucking know it Ash!"

" Leave her the hell alone James! "

Ayame was shaking she glared at James, wanting to rip his head off, Jerk. She thought.

James stepped back slightly.

" Fine, deal with the shit that is coming your self, i'm done!" James snipped at Ash he turned and walked out.

Ayame and Ash watched him walk out, they stayed quiet for a few moments.

" I'm sorry Ash" Ayame whispered, looking down Ash turned to face her, he lifted her chin up looking into her eyes.

"Don't be, he started it, he'll calm down" He replied

Ayame looked into Ash's eyes, her insides melted, she wanted him but she shook the feeling off, she looked at her IV needle, she pulled it out and dropped it on the bed, she stood up, Ash didn't stop her, he stayed close incase she fell.

" Take me home Ash, I don't want to stay here" Ayame said as she started looking for her clothes, Ash grabbed her arm making her look at him.

" Ash wha..." She looked to him and went quiet. His eyes burned with something that looked like....Love, Ayame gulped, Ash let go of her arm, heat still flooding in Ayame.

" Yeah your right i'll give you some privacy" Ash whispered as he kept his eyes locked on hers.

Ayame nodded and watched Ash leave.

She found a duffle bag she looked into it and smiled, it was her things, she pulled out a pair of black jeans and slide them over her legs and she found a white top, she pulled her hospital gown off and slipped her top on, she looked in the bag and sighed, Ash forgot her shoes, great, she thought,

Ash heard Ayame sigh he knocked on the door.

"Ayame? You okay? " Ash said not wanting to go into the room.

"Yeah, but you forgot my shoes..." She replied, a smirk formed across Ash's face and he tried not to laugh as he walked into the room seeing her dressed but shoeless.

"Looks like your carrying me home" She said with a smile, Ash smirked again as he walked over to her.

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He put his arms around her waist pulling her close, Ayame's heart started to beat fast, she saw how close Ash's lips were to hers.

"Where's...Where's James?" Ayame whispered, Ash sighed.

" I don't know, he should be back now" Ash replied, he began to search for James' mind, Ayame stayed quiet knowing they wouldn't find James...

Chapter 11

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James slammed the hospital door open walking down the street and away from his brother and Ayame, he wanted to find Elizabeth and set things right with her, once and for all.

"Why, hello handsome never thought i'd see you again" A musical voice said quietly, James turned around to the voice he smelt blossom's his pulsed raced his old self coming to the surface, he didn't care about anything anymore.

" James, please say you haven't forgotten me? The one woman you'd kill for..." The voice said taunting him.

A figure moved out of the shadows and into the street light.

"Elizabeth.." James whispered, his eyes widened, she was still as beautiful as the day she left him, her long silky blond hair hanging at her waist, her piercing emerald green eyes her perfect smile with perfect teeth, she was slim standing around 5ft7 she positioned her self like a cat, she walked closer to James making his heart race more.

She was his "Soulmate" the only one to be with, she was the strongest female to help carry on his bloodline, they both wanted each other but resisted.

"What are you doing here Elizabeth? You left 15years ago without looking back to me!" James snapped.

Elizabeth felt hurt and remembered leaving him she shook her head.

"That was the old me, i'm back, to get you.. James we can finally start our lives together like we've said!" She whispered, he looked to her eyes seeing her eyes begging him to go, he sighed.

"Why did you attack Ayame?"

" James, she was pulling you away from me! I couldn't lose you!"

James laughed loud.

"You really think that mix-blood would take my love away from you?!" James stepped closer. " You've just made the biggest mistake ever saying that Elizabeth"

Elizabeth looked to James, she held her breath and finally shook her head.

"Im sorry, wait...how did you know what she is!?"

" I could tell from the moment i met her and today when she woke up proved me point even more, she has no control over her actions or moods..."

" James, Marcus needs her, the war.. its starting soon, we need her, to help us win"

James shook his head.

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"I'll take her place, you leave my brother and her out of this..they will pick their own side...and us, we leave.. tonight.. now and we never look back to this place.."

Elizabeth looked to James, she nodded taking his hand they both flittered off not looking back..

Chapter 12

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Ash couldn't sense his brother, he began to worry, Ayame was talking to a doctor whilst filling out some forms, Ash came to her side.

"Ayame" He whispered against her ear " We need to leave, i need to talk to you"

Ayame looked to Ash putting the pen down she nodded as Ash turned for the door his hand brushed Ayame's and she saw in head, seeing his life of been lonely waiting for the right woman to come into his life, she flinched and he stopped holding his breath looking to her.

"Ash, what..why? whats wrong with me?" She whispered.

"I don't know Ayame but lets get you out of here before you freak someone out" He replied quickly he grabbed her pulling her into his arms and ran out of the door, when they got outside no-one was around.

Ash pulled Ayame closer, she cuddled in close as Ash flittered to his home.

~ 1 hour later ~

Ash put Ayame down at the door, he opened the door stepping in.

" Mmm, Ash?"

"Yeah?"

Ayame looked to him, and sighed.

" You need to invite me in..or im stuck out here..."

" Oh.." Ash looked to her and smiled " Please come in Ayame"

Ayame smiled and stepped in. " Thanks"

" Its ok, and i think its best you stay here for a while, you're not alone..i'll look after you."

Ayame looked to Ash as he looked back to her they both smiled.

Ayame stepped more into the house, looking around taking everything in.

Ash had a huge fire place, two leather sofa's a huge bookcase and TV it was..cosy and Ayame liked it.

They both stood in silence looking to each other, Ash suddenly pulled Ayame into his arms, she stumbled and fell into his hard chest she looked to him and glared but her glare soon melted when she looked into his eyes, she felt her insides slowly burn she wish she could control it.

Ayame sighed, " He's gone isn't he? " She asked. Ash nodded once.

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" And the woman..she's the one who attacked me?" Ash nodded again.

" I should of guessed..." Ayame whispered.

Ash placed his head on her resting it lightly he sighed.

Not sure what to say so he kept holding her close, his phone started to ring, they both looked to each other Ayame stepped back and Ash went into the kitchen.

" I need to take this" He said as he left.

Ayame watched him leave, she sat down, waiting.

~ 20minutes later~

Ash still wasn't back, Ayame sighed she walked to the kitchen door seeing it was shut she went to it and listened to Ash.

" Look, she's fine.. Yeah she is! She's fine i swear on the pack...I haven't left her side since she came here! I'll protect her! Yes of course I will!! I don't how long its going to take for them to find her but we'll be waiting! but..." Ash sighed "Yeah fine, see you tomorrow" Ash put the phone down, Ayame blinked and worry ate at her insides.

Ash looked to the kitchen door he sensed movement outside it he knew it was Ayame then he heard movement upstairs he quickly opened the door yanking Ayame in and shutting the door quietly.

He pressed her to the door a hand over her mouth she struggled.

"Ayame! Stop struggling woman!!" He hissed "Someone's here and I don't know who it is!

Ayame's eyes widen and she stop struggling their hearts pounding hard. Ash looked to Ayame his eyes filled with lust and passion he shook it off.

" Wait here, I mean it, stay here..."

Ayame nodded Ash moved his hand off her mouth and slipped out of the room.

Ash appeared upstairs in the library he opened the door.

"Ah, Mr Whitewood, so nice for you to join me..." A man said, Ash held his breath.

" Marcus.."

Ash moved to the door shutting it to keep Marcus or his pet getting to Ayame, he hoped she had hidden....

Chapter 13

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Marcus was leant on Ash's desk looking at him, arching his left eyebrow exposing the scar.

" Did you really think that you keeping Ayame here would make her safe?"

Ash glared to Marcus and growled deeply

" I think you should leave, before i rip your damn throat out Marcus" Ash snipped back

Marcus laughed and stood up slowly he looked around the room before looking back to Ash

" Do you really think your threats affect me Ash? After all...you can't kill something that is twice as strong as you.."

Ash sighed slightly knowing he was speaking the truth then there was a sound of glass breaking and Ash heard Ayame's screams from upstairs, he growled louder looking at Marcus

"If you've hurt her i swear.." His voice was cut off as he fell to the floor in pain, he gripped his head in pain it felt like a vice was tightening around his skull crushing it more and more as Marcus moved closer to him.

" I told you and your brother to bring her to me and no one would have to suffer hmm? Aaah look who it is" Marcus looked to the door seeing a Lycan holding Ayame her arms were pinned behind her back and the Lycan had hold of her hair in one hand stopping her from getting free

"Ash...whats going on?" Ayame whispered looking at Ash she whimpered as the Lycan pulled her again and growled to her.

Marcus was looking back andforth atAsh and Ayame he smirked.

" So you've kept her in the dark Ash? Tut tut" he tusked as he walked closer to Ayame, Ayame looked to Marcus shesnarledat him

" Get the fuck away from me you creep!" She snapped as she struggled in the Lycan's arms, Ashtried to look up, blood was slowly falling from his nose, his head hurting more

"LetAsh go now..." Ayame said sharply and Marcus realised Ash's mind he slumped to the floor wiping his nose before standing up, he looked to the two Lycan's in the room judging how to take them out without getting Ayame caught in the cross fire...

Marcus cleared his throat and looked at Ayame more closely

" No need touse thatlanguage...My my...you sure looklike your mother.." Marcus whispered as he looked in Ayame's eyes seeing the Blue then the specks ofAmber.

Ayame growled again

"You have no right to speak about my mother..keep her out of it!"

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Ash was looking at Ayame before murmuring in his head " On the count of three, you need to throw that Lycan...whilst i deal with the other"

Ayame looked to Ash and nodded slightly making sure Marcus didn't see it as he walked back to the desk before sitting on the table, in one swift movement Ayame slipped from the Lycan's arm and threw at Marcus watching them both hit the fire place she watched it crumble as Ash lunged at the other Lycan kicking him through the window and watching him land on the grass before standing up, Ash snarled watching the Lycan vanish into the darkness, Ayame was stood looking at the fireplace shaking slightly waiting for the Lycan and Marcus to stand up, Ash walked to her, holding her arms in place and he whispered gently to her

" They've gone..."

Ayame walked to the fireplace, kicking the stones away seeing nothing but rubble she frowned slightly

"Where did they go?" She asked Ash as she picked up a piece of cloth from the rubble, she caught a scent of the ocean and looked to Ash.

Chapter 14

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Ash looked to Ayame, he shook his head

"Don't even think about it Ayame..."

" And why not? I've got the scent..i'll be able to track them!" Ayame cried.

Ash sighed he walked to her, taking the cloth away Ayame frowned to him

" They might of come from there...how do we know they are still there and havent moved on hey?" Ash was looking at Ayame watching her shake her head in protest

" They could still be there..." Ayame mumbled and looked down, she was pissed off, who was that man? Why did he look smiliar? What did he want with her? All the questions were left unanswered.

Ash put the cloth on the table he wrapped his arms around Ayame's waist he pulled her close to him Ayame rested her head on his chest feeling his heart beating and how slow it was, Ayame looked up to Ash she took a breath.

"You need to tell me everything...No more secrets...Please?" Ayame murmured

Ash looked in Ayame's eyes not sure what to do, their lips a few inches apart they were both lost in each others eyes, Ash pulled away, only to keep himself in control, he moved his hands to interlock with hers

"No more secrets" He promised her he kissed her head as they walked into the kitchen.

Tingling radiated through their bodies, Ayame sat on a stool and Ash sat next to her.

"Its a long story...but thousands of years aho Vampires and Lycan's ruled the world, humans were their slaves until they rebelled and took over, forcing the supernatural into hiding and over the years we came myths and legends to them, they've been in charged since...Marcus..he's the first mixblood...no one know how or why he came a mixblood...some say a witch helped him into completeting the transformation, he stated that he would get the world back, he's been trying to create an army big enough to take over, the Vampires and Some Lycan disagreed with him, we believe the humans are coping fine but others believe they are destroying it and agree with Marcus..." Ash paused and looked to Ayame who had a blank expression on her face he took a deep breath " Your mother...and Marcus.." He glanced to her as her eyes widen " They were together...and had you...creating the second mixblood..but Marcus left...he couldnt stay with your mother and you whilst tryin to create an army...He went off making more mixbloods...but only by blood exchange.. he only found out a few years that you were a mixblood and still alive so he became a hunt for you and your mother...My family." He sighed " They were helping him...before they found out why you was important to him...Elizabeth...she has stayed loyal to him from day one...and she found you...she thought...if she took you out...Marcus would use her as his weapon..not some woman he hardly knew..."

He stopped and looked to Ayame, she a gulp and looked to him she felt her stomach drop she didn't know what to say but she knew it was time to fight back..for her family, Ash placed his hand over hers and squeezed it gently as they sat in silence.

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