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Chapter One

Jazmina Nolan watched from her second-story bedroom window as a big, black SUV pulled into the drive and parked. Dread and anticipation twisted her stomach into knots, and she stood frozen in place, breath held, as the driver exited. Asa. Tall and thickly muscled, with short-cropped black hair, he had piercing blue eyes she couldn't see from this distance. He was a beautiful man, especially for his age.

Then again, he was a werewolf. And they did age well.

She was thrilled to see him but irritated about the circumstances. Her twin sister, Sunny, and Sunny's mates, Carlos and Declan, refused to leave Jaz unguarded for even a moment. No amount of pointing out that a bodyguard was overkill made a difference. For crissakes, she was in the middle of a werelion pride. No one would The Return (Pride Law Book 2) listen The

Return (Pride Law Book 2) to her protests, however. At least she'd been asked—before Asa was approached about babysitting The Return (Pride Law Book 2) duty—if she could handle a week alone with him in the house. She'd taken the proposal seriously. It was the only fair thing to do, and she'd thought long and hard before saying yes.

He already knew her secret, knew what she was. One of the handful of known female shape-shifters in the world, and he'd seen her at her worst. Cowed. Beaten. Without hope.

It was dangerous, his knowing what she was. The Return (Pride Law Book 2) But exhilarating, too. He didn't want to control The Return (Pride Law Book 2) her. Didn't want to breed her to serve his own sick quest for power. He wanted her for the simple yet complicated reason that she was his mate. To be wanted just for herself, with no other ulterior motives... Well, it was a heady thing.

She watched as the others exited the house to welcome The Return (Pride Law Book 2) him. It should have The Return (Pride Law Book 2) been her job, but The Return (Pride Law Book 2) here she was, lurking out of sight. Carlos and Sunny loaded their vehicle while Declan, another werewolf and Sunny's second mate, stopped to talk with Asa. They The Return (Pride Law Book 2) chatted a bit, two old friends catching up, and Asa glanced up at her window. Once. Briefly. He nodded a response to her slight wave, just a lifted hand really, and she knew she couldn't remain in hiding forever.

When he turned away, so did she. She left her room, hurried down the steps before she could chicken out, and then went out the front door. She'd known he would hear when she stepped outside, and he slowly swiveled around to face her. He wasn't hiding anything from her. She saw his frustration, his lust, his gentleness, and his worry. One couldn't ask for a better mate, and she knew it.

He wasn't her only mate, however. For some reason, not every werelion had The Return (Pride Law Book 2) a specific, destined mate, so those that did were expected to share—a key component of Pride Law, a tradition that grew out of a time when female shifters were believed nonexistent. Things were changing fast, though, and some females were evolving differently. Unlike the average werelion, she did have a mate. Two of them. She'd known as soon as she'd met them, with a stunning, forceful instinct that had grown into a painful craving over the last six months.

She caught Fisher's scent on the faint breeze and knew he was somewhere close-by. Watching them. He was just The Return (Pride Law Book 2) as much hers as Asa was, but she avoided him. She wasn't ready to accept him yet. But she knew he was in love with Asa. Knew they'd been together and that Fisher'd not only broken it off, but had fucked up badly enough that Asa might never take him back no matter how much he begged. It saddened her on Asa's behalf and pissed her off. Why would anyone let such an incredible man go?

If she could scent Fisher close, so could Asa. So she marched down the steps to go stand by the man's side and lend her unspoken support. Solidarity, right? After all, they'd both have to find a way to deal with Fisher. His shortcomings. His betrayals. And hell, maybe she was being

The Return (Pride Law Book 2) too harsh. Who knew? She sure as hell didn't. It was all still too fresh in her mind.

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