

# Pack of One

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*The okamikinjuclan is a pack of wolves on earth trying to hide their existence from humans that want to kill them the pack is led by the hisakata family kairay raykai and katsumi as well as kairays partner Hiaro Makurazaki. They are always in a const*

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Chapter One

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A large red wolf ran through the forest quickly turning facing the north. He looked at the town below the mountain he was standing on, watching the activities of the humans below. He turned back and ran to his pack. When he reached his pack he came up behind his leader to give his report. "Hey Kairay!" he shouted, " I found the town we're lookin for!" The large white wolf jumped and turned around. "You know I don't think that you should be so quite sometimes Hiaro." "Sorry partner. That human village you were talking about is about seven miles north from here. It's crawlin with those insignificant beings." replied Hiaro. Kairay looked towards the north sighed and then said, "What you mean the humans? Yea i guess your right. We'll start towards it in the morning, go and tell the pack to bunk down for the night. Oh and tell that to the jackal to." Hiaro gave a small bow and said sarcastically, "Yes all mighty leader! I am but a mere servant here to bend at your will!" Kairay turned around and tried to smack him across his face but Hiaro ducked. "Keh! Don't make me reopen those scars on your cheek!" The red wolf rubbed a paw against the three scars on his left cheek and then said laughing, "Ha! I'd like to see you try and catch me!" Kairay pounced on him and began to wrestle. "Ooooo!" said Hiaro, "I'm gona tell that brother of yours you've been messin around while you're supposed to be the leader!" Kairay then bit his ear and said, "Ha! Like he'll really care!" Hiaro then disentangled himself and ran off. "Well I gota go tell the pack to bunk down." Kairay then looked off towards the town in the north and absentmindedly said, "Yea ok you do that." He continued to stare at the north wondering what laid ahead of him in that town.

Meanwhile his partner, Hiaro, was telling everyone to camp there for the night. He sneaked behind a young female jackal and then whispered in her ear, "Boo! Ha ha! Hey Hokuto why the long face?" The jackal turned around and smiled\* at him and then snarled playfully, "Hiaro you crazy wolf! What long face huh? The only reason I'd have a long face is cuz u just yelled in my ear!" She tackled Hiaro and he said, "Whoa! Cool it chick! Shesh you sure are stronger than you look!

" The jackal bit at his ear and said and said, "Yeah whatever! So what did Kairay want anyways?" As Hiaro was right in the middle of telling her another white wolf jumped out of nowhere and began wrestling him. "Raykai you nut case get off of me!" Raykai stepped off of him and replied, "Ha ha gotcha that time!" "Yeah and it was what the first one in...."Hiaro began counting his whiskers, paws, teeth, and his tail, "well I'm to lazy to begin countin my fur so lets just leave it at ..... a lot!" Hokuto rolled her eyes and said, "Oh give it a rest you two! Is it always a competition?" "Sorry Hokuto I'll behave scouts honor. Besides I'm going to bed.", said Hiaro. The two wolves and the jackal walked off in to the camp to go to their beds. Kairay watched them pass and then continued to stare at the north, towards the town that they would enter tomorrow disguised as humans to conceal there existence as wolves.

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Next morning the pack watched the sun rise in the east. "Well", said Kairay, "we better get movin if we want to get to that town. Everybody change into a human." He walked around watching as his pack took their human forms. "Ears young one. You need to make your ears look like a humans." Kairay said to a young wolf with extremely large, black, ears poking out of the side of his head. "Thanks Kairay. And my name isn't young one its Ketsu you know that!" Kairay, now an eighteen year old boy with bright red hair with silver tips on the end, laughed and replied, "Of course I know Ketsu!" He then walked over to his partner and noticed he still had a tail. "Um Hiaro?" "Yeah Kairay? Sup?" "Tail." Hiaro looked at him questioningly, "Huh? Oh...hehe still haven't mastered the changing thing yet and my tail keeps me balanced." Kairay laughed and they both went to make sure everyone looked like a perfectly normal human when they were all done they headed towards the north, towards the town, towards more humans.

Half an hour later the pack began to enter the town in groups of threes and fours. Kairay, Raykai, Hiaro, and Hokuto entered the town together. Raykai looked exactly like his brother, Hiaro had dusty red hair just like his fur and bright green eyes, Hokuto had long purple hair that went down to the middle of her back and bright blue eyes. They walked around town together sometimes pinching some food or human clothing. Well it was mostly Hiaro and Kairay (they were former thieves) doing the pinching. They then ran into a two smaller girls with red hair with the ends black and deep black eyes. "Hey guys! And Hokuto!" "Hi Tai! Hi Yori!" replied Hiaro. "Mind if we walk with you?" asked Yori. "No problem!" replied Kairay and Hiaro together. Hiaro looked at Kairay funny and said to him, "Quit reading my mind partner it kinda freaks me out." Kairay rolled his eyes and said, "You're hopeless." They rounded a corner and began changing into the new human clothes that they stole because the ones that they had were torn and were beginning to smell like a wolf. After they had all changed, they went to a park in the middle of the town where they sat down and began to eat their food. Hiaro saw a bug pass by and pounced on it. Hokuto rolled her eyes at him and said, "Hiaro humans don't pounce on bugs or anything else for that matter." Hiaro looked at her straight in the eyes and said, "Well then I guess it's a good thing I'm not a human." Hokuto shook her head and said, "You really are hopeless." Hiaro stuck out his tongue and began to run away before Hokuto got up and began running after him. The rest of them watched as Hiaro turned around and tackled Hokuto. "Your partner is a real odd-ball Kairay." stated Tai and Yori together. Kairay just shrugged and replied, "We've known each other for a long time and he's a really good scout and warrior so his dumbness is made up for with that." They all got up and began to make their way towards Hokuto and Hiaro who were literally howling with laughter. After they got up they all began to make their way towards an old oak tree on the outside of the town where the pack was supposed to meet. They were to tell of what they had learned about the town, the people, and its history as far as their race was concerned. Then they would decide whether to stay or move on.

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At the old oak tree, Kairay and the rest met up with their pack. They made a circle and sat down with Kairay and Hiaro in the middle. They found out many things about the town. They found out that the town itself was thousands of years old its date going back to the times when the wolves were many and not hunted for their fur or teeth. They also found out that the town used to be thriving with wolves and may still have some living there. The towns people turned out to be very nice and most worship the wolves and the moon queen. Hiaro and Kairay decided it would be a good idea to stay there for a while but not reveal their true form until the opportune moment. The young wolf, Ketsu, presented the opportune moment to them. "Tomorrow is the fall festival in this town. For every festival, the elders praise a certain kind of wolf. The brown wolf for winter, the black wolf for spring, the gray wolf for summer, and the red and white wolf for fall. It is considered a blessing among there people if that certain kind of wolf shows up at the festival. So if we could get one of our red and white wolves to go they will most likely except us!" Hiaro looked at his partner and said, "I'll do it." Kairay smiled and said, "Good cause you're the only real red wolf that we have! And I suppose as leader of the pack I'll do it to!" They laughed together and got up.

They decided to go into the town and find out more things about these festivities. They went to the town library and found out what kind of jewelry was appropriate for the wolf to wear. A pendant with a star in the middle of a circle, a hawk or eagle feather tucked behind one ear and three gold bracelets was all that they really needed. They went into the market and were able to steal the bracelets and the pendants. Hiaro walked up behind a rich lady and was able to take one of the hawk feathers and one eagle feather out of her hat. When they got back to the pack they told them the plan and then went to sleep in the woods.

The next day the festivities were starting so Hiaro and Kairay began getting ready for their part. When night fell they took their wolf form and put the jewelry on. While every one was around the fire and praising the spirit of the red and white wolf Kairay nodded towards Hiaro and emerged from the shadows. When the elders saw them, all went quite. They then walked up to the head elder. The elder placed in front of them a bowl of wine fell flat on his face and then turned to the people. "This is the day that I thought would never come. The brave and noble spirits of the white and red wolf have come. They wear all of the jewelry that was worn by the wolves of the past. Come young ones and dance for the wolves are here!" he then turned to the two wolves and said, " Did you bring any of the other wolves of the seasons with you?" Hiaro and Kairay looked over their shoulder and called to Ketsu, a gray wolf that was part of their pack named Hikagi, and a small brown she wolf by the name of Sayona. They all came out dressed in the same attire as Kairay and Hiaro. They then sat down with him and the elder. When all the other villagers noticed this they all became quite. The elder turned and said to them, "What are you doing?! Don't you see that the moon queen has blessed us? Dance and sing for there may be more!" When he said this the four wolves howled for the rest of the pack to come. Raykai, Tai, Yori, and Hokuto came and sat with Kairay and the rest. There was much rejoicing at this and the festival lasted through out the night.

The next morning the elder asked the wolves a very important question, "Season wolves and all the

rest, will you please show us your human forms so that we may initiate you in our village?" The four wolves looked at each other nodded and howled to the rest of the pack telling them to shed their disguises...

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Once the pack had shed their disguises and the towns' people saw who they were, Kairay and Hiaro began to talk to the elder of the village. "What brings you to our village great ones? Did the moon queen send you?" asked the elder. "Well...yes I suppose she has." replied Kairay, "But we need to know something. Do you often let people come into your village as far as strangers go?" "Well yes of course! Our people are very friendly. We always let someone in that is why there was no security at the gate when you came in." Hiaro looked at Kairay, "This could be bad. There could be a wolf hunter out there in the crowd that just saw what we look like. This means we can't stay long if we can't be protected Kairay." Kairay thought about it and sighed, "Yes I suppose it does. We'll have to run first thing in the morning. But don't tell the old geezer that." Hiaro nodded as he watched Ketsu and Hokuto dance past him, "Yes of course not. I'll be the one to brake it to the pack tonight. It should take some pressure off your shoulders. Well I'm gonna go dance!" He then got up, grabbed Hokuto, and began the wild dance of the wolves. Kairay watched them reel around and then laughed and grabbed Tai and began dancing. In the dance of the wolves, they would change into something between a wolf and a human. Most humans call this a werewolf or lycanthrope. It was a dance that none of the humans could participate in but Hokuto was allowed on the courtesy of the pack. She turned into something a human would call a "werejackal". The dance was wild full of nearly impossible jumps and twists. The last four dancing was Kairay with his partner Tai, and Hiaro with Hokuto. All four were champion dancers in the pack. At the very end they reeled around one last time and the boys were holding the girls with their arm on their backs holding them up. Kairay picked Tai up and carried her back to the pack; Hiaro twirled Hokuto around one last time and then carried her off to the pack too. All of the humans and wolves were clapping and they all took their bows.

Then began the moon dance. A very graceful dance that both wolves and humans could participate in. Kairay danced around with a beautiful blonde human girl, and Hiaro danced with Yori. As they danced Hiaro turned around and ran smack dab into a young boy of about thirteen years. Hiaro recognized him immediately, "Kilten? Is that really you? Whoa! I haven't seen you in forever! How are you little brother?" The boy had the same hair as Hiaro but had the tips blackened and orange fox eyes with a scar running through his right eye. "Hiaro! Long time no see! And its half brother remember?" "Yeah yeah. Hey! Kairay get over here!" "Yes Hiaro? What is it?", asked Kairay as he reached them, "Whose your friend?" "This, Kairay, is my lil half bro! We have the same mom but his dad was a fox demon. So he's half fox half red wolf. Kilten Tombetsu, Kairay Hisakata, Kairay Kilten!" Kairay shook hands with Kilten and said jokingly, "So you're related to my partner? I feel for you. He's a numbskull!!" Hiaro growled and tackled him. After they wrestled for a while they got up and began to dance again. After everyone was exhausted, the pack went back to the oak tree where Hiaro would tell them that they had to go and then prepare for the run that night. Kairay left a note for the elder telling him that the moon queen had sent them to another place. However, one human wasn't sleeping. He was watching the pack preparing to follow them. He was what Hiaro had feared, a wolf hunter.