

FADE IN:

ROMANIA, 2026, 4:30AM

A wide shot of a study. A man shrouded in darkness and shadow speaks to a young man before him, illuminated by the only candle in the study lit.

SHROUDED MAN

What business does a DHAMPIR have with me now?

DHAMPIR

We are investigating the disappearance of several virgin males in LONDON. We are merely doing our due diligence. You understand, don't you, VIKTOR? The treatise...

VIKTOR

I am well aware of the treatise. However, I can assure you that none of the SANGUINARI clan have fed on virgin blood.

DHAMPIR

Remember it is because we allow your clan to feed at all that you survive to this day.

VIKTOR SANGUINARI

I'm well aware that we need virgin blood to sire, VINCENT. However none of our clan would be foolish enough to break treaty, especially with our dwindling numbers.

VINCENT DHAMPIR

It has been 200 years since an incident broke between the SANGUINARI, LYCANE and DHAMPIR. Let us keep it that way.

VINCENT stands up from his seat and tips his hat to VIKTOR. He turns around flaring his trenchcoat and walks out of the study.

VIKTOR
EDGAR, please bring in KLAUS.

A hunched old man escorts a young boy into the study and sits him down in front of VIKTOR.

VIKTOR
Do you know why you're here?

KLAUS
I've been sired.

VIKTOR
Yes. Are you aware of the rules that come with joining this clan?

KLAUS
I am not.

VIKTOR
Because we do not know of who you're progenitor is, you are Bloodless. Normally, we would know who they are and you would fall neatly into a Bloodline within the clan.

There is a line, however imaginary it may be, that for all intents and purposes must never be crossed.

In order to sire a progeny, one must feed on virgin blood. Feed until the well is just about empty. Then feed them your own blood. You will learn in due time, you are yet young.

However we have a treatise currently with The LYCANES and the DHAMPIR Clan which forbid us from feeding on virgin blood. This, as you know has caused our numbers to greatly diminish as it is the only way to reproduce.

KLAUS

Who are the LYCANES and DHAMPIR?

VIKTOR

You will learn all you need to in due time. For now, your training with URIEN starts tomorrow at sundown.

KLAUS

I still don't know who you are.

VIKTOR

I am VIKTOR SANGUINARI, the last remaining progeny of ADAM. The first of our kind. Son of HELENA.

KLAUS

You must be...

VIKTOR

Quite old, indeed. Now, hurry and get some rest for your training. The sun rises soon.

KLAUS

But, who is ADAM and HELENA?

VIKTOR

Now now, that is a story for another day.

KLAUS

What am I training for?

VIKTOR

Well. If you're any indication of what's to come - I believe we are on the brink of war.

EDGAR (he snaps his finger) if you could set up a meeting with LUCA. There is a matter we must discuss.

EDGAR

My lord.

The old man vanishes into the air as if like smoldering ash and wafts out of the window. KLAUS leaves the study. VIKTOR turns his gaze behind his chair where there is a portrait of a man and a woman.

VIKTOR

Our first progeny in over 200 years and we know not who the progenitor is.

What would you do ADAM?

A shadowy figure materializes in the darkness of the corner that does not receive any candle light. Remaining in the shroud of darkness.

SHADOWY FIGURE

It's time to create.

Unphased by the sudden materialization of the figure. VIKTOR turns his attention to the figure.

VIKTOR

ALISTAR, you must learn to use the door. You
FALCARI have no respect for privacy.

ALISTAR FALCARI

I've known you for over a millennia VIKTOR,
there's nothing I haven't seen before.
Besides, you were quite done with that new
Sireling.

VIKTOR

What do you want?

ALISTAR

There's a lot of movement within the DHAMPIR
clan. VINCENT's arrival is just the
beginning.

VIKTOR

I am quite aware of this information. We
must find this mystery progenitor.

ALISTAR

I don't know why you value this treatise so
dearly. The FALCARI and VITEZIA alone could
handle the DHAMPIR.

VIKTOR

We must not foolishly pursue conflict.
Despite both your families' powers - the
DHAMPIR greatly outnumber us 20 to 1. There
is also the LYCANES and other Wolf packs to
contend with as soon as the treaty is
broken.

ALISTAR

Yes...which is why we need to start siring
new progeny.

VIKTOR

I'll make the decision when I'm ready to do so ALISTAR.

ALISTAR

VIKTOR, I implore you-

In an instant VIKTOR grabs ALISTAR by the neck and raises him up into the air, almost crushing his throat.

VIKTOR

You try my patience, ALISTAR. I will not be questioned by you again.

ALISTAR

(Struggling) My lord!

VIKTOR releases ALISTAR and goes to the open window with his hands behind his back.

VIKTOR

We must tread carefully. I am the only SANGUINARI in living existence besides MICHAEL who apparently does not want to be found. Our bloodline has splintered ever so greatly.

ALISTAR

I understand yours is the only family with all of our physical gifts combined. But with that said... couldn't you dispatch of all the DHAMPIRS with your strength alone?

VIKTOR

Technology has rapidly increased the DHAMPIR's effectiveness against even me. With the proliferation of sensor technology

and UV weapons, our physical enhancements continue to grow more insignificant.

While I may be capable of handling myself amongst several DHAMPIR, with these new weapons it only takes one lucky shot to kill me.

ALISTAR

I suppose you're having URIEN train the boy to see if you can find his line without the progenitor?

VIKTOR

It would be easier if we knew his maker. Only he, can awaken the line. If KLAUS happens to be a VITEZIA then perhaps it would work in our favor. Otherwise, URIEN cannot awaken anything in him.

ALISTAR

I'll leave you to your thoughts then.

ALISTAR exits the study through the door. VIKTOR looks out the window as the sun begins to rise. VIKTOR opens up a secret panel in his book shelf and reveals a back room with a coffin.

FADE IN:

LONDON, UK 6:32AM

A man in the distance is practicing with a punching bag. His long hair dancing around as he throws his punches. A man clad in a coat and hat appears behind him. It's VINCENT.

MAN (while punching)
So, how did it go?

VINCENT

Cooperative. Assertive. Just like you warned me. If the SANGUINARI know anything about the missing boy, he's not going to cave without evidence.

MAN

Unfortunately our only evidence will be to find the boy.

VINCENT

That's going to be difficult. If they indeed have sired a new progeny, they will most likely try to keep him hidden.

A woman enters the gym and stops beside VINCENT.

WOMAN

I've just met with LUCA LYCANE. As you said ALIN, he has no need for virgin blood among his pack.

ALIN DHAMPIR

Well, that was just a formality. We know that if there is any use of virgin blood - it's the SANGUINARI. VERA, what do our Watchers say about the movements within the SANGUINARI families?

VERA

Our Watchers in the East say the VITEZIA are surprisingly still. West Watchers report nothing abnormal of the FALCARI or the FIARA families.

VINCENT

Has KIRA reported back?

VERA

It's not surprising she hasn't. She's in charge of the Northern watchers.

ALIN

They are in charge of the ASTRAGA family. She knows better than to make contact with them.

VINCENT

KIRA would not fall for their tricks.

ALIN

They are not tricks VINCENT. Only those of a sound mental capacity could resist the allure of the ASTRAGA.

VINCENT

KIRA is our best Watcher in the North. She'll be fine.

VOICE OF WOMAN

SANGUINARI filth...

They look around searching for the source of the voice.

VERA

Speak of the devil...

VERA reveals KIRA up in the rafters of the gym concealed by shadow.

KIRA

The North is also quiet. Too quiet.

ALIN

Glad you could make it KIRA.

KIRA

The families are being strangely quiet. When is the last time our Watchers all reported the same thing?

ALIN

It's odd, but still not enough to act on. Remember the treaty.

KIRA

Screw the treaty, it was the wishes of our fore father Petyr, to eradicate all SANGUINARI. We have the numbers!

ALIN

I will not question the authority of ALEXANDER. Petyr might have wished for the eradication of ADAM's spawn but we have a chance to prevent further DHAMPIR descendants from needlessly dying! ALEXANDER is our leader now.

KIRA shrugs off the scold. She jumps from the rafters and lands gracefully behind ALIN.

ALIN

I've noted your concern KIRA but as direct descendants of Petyr, it is our responsibility to preserve the DHAMPIR legacy. ALEXANDER, VINCENT and myself are the only ones left. If we engage in war with the SANGUINARI, we stand to lose the most.

VERA

Perhaps we could create an alliance with the LYCANES? Surely, with them - we could mount an attack that-

VINCENT

An alliance with the wolves? They are only loyal to themselves and their pack. They would sooner betray us.

ALIN punches the bag with extra force, showing his frustration.

ALIN

Enough. I will bring your reports to ALEXANDER, and that's that. Whatever he decides, goes.

VERA, VINCENT & KIRA

Understood.

VERA, KIRA and VINCENT disperse in their own directions. ALIN changes his clothing and exits the gymnasium.

FADE IN:

ROMANIA, 6:45PM

KLAUS awakens. He exits his room and wanders the halls. The mansion at sunset is quite empty and overwhelming. He enters the kitchen and sees a woman enjoying a wine glass of blood.

KLAUS

Ahem...

WOMAN

Ah, you must be the new bloodless among us.

KLAUS

I'm KLAUS Augenthaler.

WOMAN

I'm C'ESTRE. And you, are just KLAUS.

KLAUS

I beg your pardon?

C'ESTRE

You are SANGUINARI now. You do not belong to your former kin. You are bloodless too so you do not belong to a family either. Just KLAUS.

KLAUS

That's...going to take time to get used to.

C'ESTRE

You are quite mature, how old were you?

KLAUS

I was 22 years old.

C'ESTRE

22 and a virgin...in this day and age? You must have been saving yourself for someone special.

KLAUS

I was actually...

C'ESTRE

You can have me if you like (seductive smile)

KLAUS

I would love to-

A man enters the kitchen and grabs a wine glass and pours it over slowly while observing C'ESTRE as she climbs on top of KLAUS. KLAUS voluntarily removes his shirt and motions slowly to kiss C'ESTRE on the neck.

MAN

Leave the boy alone, C'ESTRE. He'll need all his energy.

C'ESTRE

URIEN VITEZIA...just because you're done in 4 seconds doesn't mean everyone else needs to be.

C'ESTRE walks seductively away from KLAUS. KLAUS exits his trance and looks around baffled.

KLAUS

What just happened?

URIEN

The one you were about to give your innocence to was C'ESTRE ASTRAGA. I am URIEN VITEZIA your trainer.

KLAUS

I blacked out...

URIEN

She was toying with you. The ASTRAGA family have the ability of ALLURE.

KLAUS

Well she was... quite alluring...

URIEN

No. It is a power of presence. The SANGUINARI mutation is comprised of several physical attributes that awaken the more the mutation matures. Throughout the years, as the lines began to splinter and ADAM's sirelings created more progeny, the attributes were divided.

While we all possess a certain measure of enhanced strength, speed and endurance. Only the direct descendants of ADAM possess all of the abilities of the SANGUINARI mutation. There is VIKTOR, and MICHAEL.

The ASTRAGA...can hypnotize you. We call it Allure.

KLAUS

I keep hearing about this ADAM - who is he?

URIEN

That is something for VIKTOR to discuss with you.

KLAUS

All these rules...

URIEN

Rules play a part in maintaining order. What are we animals?

KLAUS

(Laughing slightly) That's ironic. So what about the other families?

URIEN

The VITEZIA possess the power of celerity.

KLAUS

Come again?

URIEN

Super speed.

KLAUS

Can you show me?

URIEN

It takes a great deal of my stamina. Perhaps later. If you need reference - I can travel at up to 200 km/h. And accelerate from 0 to 120 km/h in 4 seconds.

KLAUS

That's incredible!

URIEN

That's nothing compared to the twins: Izanagi and Izanami. The heads of the family.

The FALCARI possess the power of dissipation. You can recognize them by a cloud of ash. It makes them invulnerable to attack but they travel very slowly and with the wind.

The FIARA commune with the animals. They can shapeshift into any animal within their size constraints.

KLAUS

This is quite overwhelming.

URIEN

It is. You will be assigned a family based on your progenitor.

KLAUS

Are you saying I will possess one of these abilities?

URIEN

That's how it goes usually. So, are you ready?

KLAUS

For what?

URIEN

Your training.

URIEN shows KLAUS into the gymnasium of the estate. It is filled with all of the state of the art fitness equipment.

KLAUS

I've never seen anything like this before..

URIEN

Where are you from?

KLAUS

I was born in BELGIUM but raised in LONDON.

URIEN

Well, the good thing about the clan, VIKTOR takes very good care of us. The families have amassed quite a fortune over the centuries. Whichever family line sired you - you will share in their wealth.

Do you remember anything about the person who sired you?

KLAUS

Not a thing. It was quick. When I came to - I was just wandering around. I asked the nearest person and she told me I was in Tîrgu-Mureş, ROMANIA.

URIEN

So your progenitor is most likely from here. He captured you from LONDON and brought you all the way over the Carpathian to Mureş.

Doesn't that seem like a lot of effort?

KLAUS

I suppose so. I had nothing on me. Not even my wallet, identification or money. I found shelter in an abandoned jerry-rigged box. Most likely frequented by homeless. I had a sudden urge within me. I wanted to kill. My teeth started to pound. As if I had tooth decay. I found a mirror and saw that my lateral incisors and canine teeth had sharpened and extended. I was on the brink of insanity until EDGAR appeared behind me in the mirror.

URIEN

EDGAR FALCARI...1st servant to VIKTOR. Lucky that he found you in mid-mutation. That stage will kill most young progeny without mentor, that is why the Sire is held in great sanctity among SANGUINARI. We do not simply Sire any one person.

KLAUS

What do you mean?

URIEN

There is a darker side to our existence. When we feed on virgin blood, we must Sire them. If we kill virgin blood - it triggers a mutation in us. Strigoi. We turn more ghoulish and feral. The Strigoi have no concept of allegiance or loyalty and that is

URIEN (cont'd)

why the DHAMPIR hunt them freely without consequence. And we allow it.

KLAUS

There's so much to keep track of.

URIEN

This is the Curse of Sanguinari. We cannot feed on the Sun's energy. We feed on blood alone. But for some reason, virgin blood is our method of multiplying. We are held in contempt for reproducing yet, if we do not - we are turned ghoulish and hunted down.

KLAUS

What about silver bullets and crucifix?

URIEN

No. Just punctuated stylization from Novelists through time. If any one religion wanted us dead - their Gods and deities would have us dead. Our mutation is a result of evolution. We serve no Lucifer or Satan. We do not detest Yahweh, God or Zeus.

The only thing that kills us is Sunlight and decapitation. Now, with UV weapons it's quite easy to kill us - IF - they hit us.

KLAUS

Do zombies exist?

URIEN stares at KLAUS as if to look down on his silly inclination.

KLAUS

Right sorry-

URIEN

Yes.

KLAUS

(stumbles) What?!

URIEN

They are not undead. When a Strigoi is starving of blood they shrivel up and become a mindless drone. That is our zombie.

Now let us begin your training.

VERSAILLES, FRANCE 9:06PM - 2 DAYS LATER

FADE IN

A man is running in the woods. Close up of the feet in motion. He is running very fast from something.

FADE OUT

Heavy breathing

FADE IN

Close up of mouth, then zoom out to face. He is sweating profusely. He looks back to see a shadowy figure giving chase. He trips on a branch and lands before a tree. He turns with his back to the tree and covers his face for an incoming attack.

The figure growls and lunges at the man. The wolf is stopped by another man, shirtless, in ripped jeans. The wolf growls at him.

Close up of man's face as he lets out a deep, undulating roar as his eyes turn crimson red. The wolf backs down and runs away.

MAN WITH CRIMSON EYES

I remember when we used to be an endangered species.

PANICKED MAN

What the- what the hell just happened?!

CRIMSON EYES

You have nothing to worry about. Go!

The man runs off bewildered but scared for his life.

Smoldering ash begins to surround the man with Crimson Eyes. It then floats out in front of him manifesting itself

CRIMSON EYES

This was not the designated meeting place
VIKTOR. You put yourself in danger.

VIKTOR

Come now LUCA, if I knew I was in danger I
would not put myself in it.

A figure hurls at VIKTOR from behind as VIKTOR spins and grabs the figure by the neck and slams it into the ground as the figure whimpers.

LUCA

Let him go...

VIKTOR

Of course.

LUCA

ARNOU, we have an arranged meeting. You can tell the other Omega's to scatter.

ARNOU

Yes sir (rubbing his neck, other hand on ribs)

ARNOU turns into a wolf and runs away howling.

LUCA

You didn't have to hurt him so badly.

VIKTOR

I suppose. But a lesson was to be learned.

LUCA

So, I'm being approached by the DHAMPIR and now the SANGUINARI - virgin blood is useless to me. Beta's are disloyal and a liability.

VIKTOR

I know you didn't nap that virgin boy in LONDON. It was a SANGUINARI...

LUCA

So you want me to keep your dirty secret?

VIKTOR

I want you to cooperate. It was not sanctioned by me, and during this time of investigation - I would like for the DHAMPIR to mind their business, so to speak.

LUCA

You've got a rogue Vampire in your midst siring new virgins and you want me to keep a tight lip?

VIKTOR

Exactly. It would not be good for either of our clans to engage in frivolous war.

LUCA

(sighs)

You're right. And I don't like it. Should the DHAMPIR approach again I will not say a word. Just take care of this. If more virgins are sired, then I shall be forced to act. We have not hazed a new Omega in 200 years because of this treaty. My pack grows weak and I am challenged for Alpha consistently because they doubt my leadership.

VIKTOR

Your pack's social constructs do not concern me.

LUCA

Remember what territory you're in VIKTOR.
(Eyes glow red again)

VIKTOR

Silly dog. Again, I assure you I am in no danger here.

LUCA

(hesitates, but growls)

Go. I will say nothing.

LUCA retreats into a nearby den where his pack awaits. He retires to his nook and lays down. A female appears at the entrance to his nook and leans on the cave wall with her elbow.

FEMALE

Where did you go?

LUCA

It's not of your concern LAYLA (eyes closed,
laying down)

LAYLA

Whenever our Alpha backs down to Vampire
scum, it is all our concern.

LUCA

(opens one eye)
Vampire scum?

LAYLA

(In French) Oui! (Yes!)

LUCA

(In French) Il est le vampire le plus fort.
Je serais mort! (He is the strongest
vampire. I would have died!)

LAYLA

Then call on your pack! They are restless!

LUCA

Don't be foolish. He took down ARNOU with
one hand. We are pack animals for a reason
LAYLA. If it were any other Vampire we could
overwhelm them. But do not question my
judgment when it comes to VIKTOR.

ARNOU interjects from the other side of the nook.

ARNOU

My whole body is still aching. (In French)
Il a brisé mes côtes. (He broke my ribs.)

LUCA

I'm sorry ARNOU. We were supposed to meet up
in PARIS in the open but I suppose he

LUCA (cont'd)

tracked me when I was chasing down a Grey Wolf attacking a civilian.

LAYLA

Why do you bother?

LUCA

The more wolves attack innocent people, the more the park rangers and governments bear down on our dens.

ARNOU

I understand LUCA. I should not have engaged him so suddenly.

LUCA

Don't worry ARNOU. Something tells me that things are about to get a bit more interesting around here.

LA GUARDIA AIRPORT, NEW YORK 9AM - 18 HOURS LATER

ALIN steps out of the terminal gate and is greeted by a man in a black suit with red tie and white pin stripes and a long overcoat.

ALIN

Alexander.

ALEXANDER

How many times do I have to tell you, just call me ALEX. ALEXANDER sounds way too Macedonian and Archaic.

ALIN

(Grins) Alex

The two hug for a moment and pat each other on the back and begin to exit the airport.

SOHO, NEW YORK CITY 11AM

The door opens into a wide open loft. ALEX takes off his coat and places it on the coat hanger. And makes way for the kitchen.

ALEX

You can put your stuff anywhere you like.
Beer?

ALIN

Sure.

ALIN sits down on the large couch in the middle of the loft.
ALEX joins him and hands him a cold beer.

ALEX

So what news from over the pond?

ALIN

Brother...

ALEX

Look, I know I chose to live here in the States but you European types really need to stop this old English "Brother, where art thou" speak.

ALIN

Alex...

ALEX

(gestures his hand to let him continue)

ALIN

Our Watchers all reported NORMAL status.

ALEX

So what's the big fuss?

ALIN

Well, when's the last time there was no activity whatsoever happening with the Vampires?

ALEX

Maybe they learned their lesson. Last time I checked with INTEL, which was this morning, they are still within ENDANGERED numbers.

ALIN

There is still the virgin boy that got nabbed in LONDON.

ALEX

Yes. This situation is a little tricky. We have kidnappings to sort through every day including here in the U.S.

What if it has nothing to do with the Vampires? Then we let the normal authorities handle the investigation.

ALIN

Yeah, but something's off here. The timing of the disappearance in conjunction with the activity of the Vampires.

KIRA just reported that the ASTRAGA have been quiet. They are usually swarming the streets ALLURING foreigners and throwing their weekly dinner parties. They do not

ALIN (cont'd)
stay quiet.

ALEX
Well, look - we have no evidence to go on.
We can't simply raid the families, risk
killing several new blood hunters and just
search until we find the boy.

ALIN
I understand that, and I echoed those exact
concerns to the others. I promised them I
would come to you with these reports and let
you decide.

ALEX
Alright, listen.

I'll call together a Meeting of Shadows.
Inform the East, West, North and South Arche
Hunters. It will be this SATURDAY. After I
hear from them and listen to their council,
I will make a decision.

FADE OUT

FADE IN

ROMANIA, FRIDAY 3:30AM

VIKTOR is in the dining hall enjoying a glass of blood when URIEN walks in with KLAUS.

VIKTOR

Ah, our bloodless returns from his training.

KLAUS

I didn't think I could train for over 2 days straight but this new body...I feel so strong.

VIKTOR

Our mutation is often called a Curse but it has its gifts. It's a bittersweet symphony. So URIEN, was his training fruitful?

URIEN

Nothing out of the ordinary. He lacks basic martial discipline, naturally. But I could not awaken his ability.

VIKTOR

So we can rule out a VITEZIA progenitor?

URIEN

Most assuredly.

KLAUS

VIKTOR, I've been meaning to ask. I keep hearing about this ADAM. Your ancestor. Who is he?

VIKTOR

I might as well tell you.

There were 2 originals. The children of DRAGOMIR and CATERINA SANGUINARI.

ADAM and LILITH. As they matured, so too did the mutation. They became anti-social. Agoraphobic and they thirsted for blood. Their parents did not know what to do. They spent so much time together they eventually became lovers.

KLAUS

Lovers? Brother and sister?

VIKTOR

It was not uncommon at the time. Most families married to keep the bloodline pure. It was actually not until the recent centuries that this was considered immoral. But besides that..

Their mutation fully matured at the age of 30. They no longer aged. And their abilities were on full display. Which is how their parents died. But one thing they could not do was bear children.

This drove LILITH into depression. Not soon after that ADAM fell for a virgin, HELENA. My mother. ADAM succumbed to his thirsts for blood and almost drained my mother. I was in the corner sulking, and when ADAM saw me he chose to spare my mother by feeding her his blood. Much to his surprise this not only saved her but turned her. She was his first Sire.

KLAUS

Wait, your mother was a virgin...

VIKTOR

I was a street orphan. HELENA had took me in just days before.

KLAUS

...

VIKTOR

Do not fret.

URIEN

(grins)

KLAUS

What happened to LILITH?

VIKTOR

LILITH moved far into the Carpathian Mountains and met a local village hunter. PETYR DHAMPIR. Details aside, she was able to bear children to this man.

ADAM found out and was infuriated with LILITH. ADAM tried to kill PETYR but LILITH fought him off. LILITH convinced PETYR that the safest option for them and their child was to go far away.

ADAM hunted them down years later but did not find LILITH or PETYR. He found their son, NIKOLAE.

KLAUS

What happened?

VIKTOR

ADAM tried to kill NIKOLAE but he was displaying natural physical gifts. ADAM realized he had inherited some of the family

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curse. So he spared NIKOLAE.

Upon learning of this attack LILITH and
PETYR vowed to hunt every single one of
ADAM's spawn until ADAM and his SANGUINARI
were extinct.

Myself and MICHAEL are the only remaining
progeny of ADAM.

KLAUS
So you and this...MICHAEL are the only ones
with the original mutation?

VIKTOR
That is correct.

KLAUS
You mentioned MICHAEL was nowhere to be
found. Is he hiding?

URIEN
MICHAEL is a recluse. He was never a fan of
the politics of the family in which ADAM
created before he passed. So he became a
vagabond. We stopped tracking him 10 years
ago. No one knows where he is.

VIKTOR walks towards the window and opens the curtains to look
at the fading moonlight.

VIKTOR
It's almost sunrise. We should-

Glass breaks. Slow motion. A bullet glowing blue breaks through
the window and penetrates VIKTOR's chest as light expands from
the wound.

URIEN

Move! (pushes KLAUS behind a couch as he
hides behind a desk.

VIKTOR and URIEN make eye contact. As VIKTOR burns up and is
incinerated. The UV light fills the room in a flash of light.

Camera shift to a barrel of a rifle. Pan down the barrel to the
trigger and shooting finger. The shooter is wearing a balaclava
mask. He gets up and starts running away.

URIEN catches up to the shooter and grabs him by the neck and
breaks it. Two clouds of smoldering ash engulf the area and
manifest.

ALISTAR

What the hell just happened?!

EDGAR

Romanian: Şef Viktor..(Master)

URIEN

(breathing heavily)
Something's not right...

KLAUS and C'ESTRE come running and join the group.

KLAUS

URIEN, what happened to VIKTOR?!

URIEN

He's dead KLAUS!

C'ESTRE

How did this happen?!

URIEN

By the look of the shooter.. a REVENANT.

ALISTAR
A rogue DHAMPIR?

Suddenly the group is surrounded by 10 wolves.

URIEN
I knew I smelled muts...

ALISTAR
DHAMPIR plus WOLVES ... does not compute!

C'ESTRE
This doesn't make sense URIEN!

KLAUS
What do we do?!

EDGAR
We run.

URIEN
(Turns to face KLAUS) He's right. There's 10 of them. If they are a pack each Omega together will make them all stronger. And if there is an Alpha among them - Right now they are all stronger than us combined. They cannot keep up with us though.

EDGAR and ALISTAR dissipate into ash. URIEN grabs C'ESTRE and KLAUS and begins to accelerate. The wolves begin to run, but at full speed URIEN loses them. ALISTAR and EDGAR sway into the wind. They all regroup at the mansion and lock it down.

ALISTAR
Why are WOLVES working with REVENANTS?

URIEN
I cannot say for sure without more evidence.

EDGAR
VIKTOR is lost...

KLAUS
How is this even possible? Wasn't he the
strongest among us?

C'ESTRE
I'm not sure either. VIKTOR has always been
keen about danger.

URIEN
There was something strange about that
bullet. With all our enhanced senses I could
not hear it coming..

I'm assuming command from here. If you
object, speak up.

They all look at URIEN with resolve and silence.

URIEN
ALISTAR, EDGAR - you are our safest form of
travel as of right now. If this was planned,
our estate is most likely surrounded by
Omegas. You are the only two who can travel.
Gather the FALCARI, and FIARA.

C'ESTRE try to make contact with any ASTRAGA
who are in range telepathically.

KLAUS and I will head to TOKYO when it is
safe and call on the VITEZIA.

We need to get ahead of the curve.

Whether it is the DHAMPIR, REVENANTS,
LYCANES or a new wolf pack - we are now at
war.

LOS ANGELES, SATURDAY 1:00PM - LA CONVENTION CENTER

In a private room ALEXANDER, and ALIN sit at the head of the table. Hunters begin to file in from all around the world. The 4 Arche Hunters take their seat at the table with ALEXANDER, and ALIN.

ALEX

VINCENT (he bows his head), STEPHAN (bows),
ABEL (bows), CLARA (bows).

Thank you all for flying in this afternoon
to attend this meeting. As you know, we have
been investigating-

ABEL

Before you continue Master Alexander. Events
have unfolded that we could not foresee.

ALEX

What is it?

CLARA

It seems that for whatever reason, VIKTOR
SANGUINARI has met true death.

Chatter and dialogue fill the acoustics of the room as ALEX and
ALIN's faces grow pale.

ALEX

Do we know who killed him?

CLARA

Our sources say it was a REVENANT. Someone
expelled from our order.

ALEX

For fuck's sake. (stands up and paces back
and forth)

STEPHAN

They also say he was in league with a pack of wolves.

ALEX

You mean to tell me the LYCANES are working with REVENANTS?

CLARA

We do not know the details. They could be packless Beta but if the reports are true their pack like behavior suggests they were Omega at most. But that means there is an Alpha leading them.

ALIN

What do we know about the movements of LUCA and his pack in FRANCE?

VINCENT

No movement. LUCA has been in VERSAILLES this whole time.

ALEX

So, there is another wolf pack, and they are in league with what is most likely a splinter of hunters.

ABEL

Sir...the SANGUINARI have already declared war.

ALEX (glancing at Abel)

What?

ABEL

The families are assembling.

ALEX

This is fantastic.

First things first, we need to get in contact with LUCA immediately and try and see if we can connect with someone on the SANGUINARI side. It needs to be communicated that this attack was not sanctioned!

CHATHAM ISLAND

EAST OF NEW ZEALAND - 2 DAYS LATER

Close up of a fireplace within a small hut. A man concealed by pelts and fur, a long beard and ragged hair covering his face stokes the fire.

Close up of face left, focus on door right. Someone knocks on the door.

STRANGER

(Maori) ~tetahi whakaaro! koa!

Wise one, please!

MAN AT FIRE

Enter.

STRANGER

(Places firewood down at foot of cot.)

The ravens have returned. They have nothing to watch.

The man with the beards eyes sharpen with resolve as he looks up.

MAN AT FIRE

They no longer watch him?

STRANGER

They watch, until there is nothing to watch.

MAN AT FIRE (to himself)

I was hoping you would mentor him. You leave me no choice...

The man stands up and removes his pelts and fur revealing a chiseled physique.

MAN AT FIRE

IKA, I need a helicopter to DUNEDIN. I must fly out immediately.

IKA

Right away, tetahi whakaaro.

IKA leaves the hut. The man at the fire grabs a razor from the bedside and a mirror. He begins to slash at his beard and hair.

CHATHAM ISLAND, NEW ZEALAND - 2 HOURS LATER

The man looks up at the mirror and exposes a clean shaven face and hair cut down to half way down the face with the rear longer. He pulls the rear into a tail and wipes down his face.

The door opens, IKA is at the doorway as he motions for the man to follow. The man follows.

FADE IN:

A jeep is driving down the road and arrives at a helipad. The man exits the jeep and enters the helicopter.

SHAVED MAN

Good to see you GRAY.

GRAY

We just came back from your trip to LONDON.
Why are we flying out again?

SHAVED MAN
An emergency.

GRAY
Well, I hope it's nothing serious

SHAVED MAN
My brother.

GRAY
(nods) I see. Alright, let's go.

The helo takes off from the pad. Wide shot of helicopter flying into the distance. Close up of GRAY, with his helmet on and talking through the comm link.

45 MINUTES LATER

GRAY
Was he killed?

SHAVED MAN
I'm not sure. I'm going to find out.

GRAY
Want me to come with you?

SHAVED MAN
No, I'm going to see ERIK PIATRA in DUNEDIN.

GRAY
You're going to enlist the aid of the PIATRA?

SHAVED MAN
I'm hoping.

GRAY
This may be unrelated or connected. The

Arche Hunters from CHRISTCHURCH emptied their watchers in DUNEDIN. They are definitely on the move.

SHAVED MAN

The DHAMPIR hunters? There are none in DUNEDIN?

GRAY

Empty. There may be some remnant of watchers in CHRISTCHURCH but DUNEDIN is definitely empty.

SHAVED MAN

That only happens during a Meeting of Shadows...

GRAY

Well, tell me all about it when you get back. We're here.

DUNEDIN AIRPORT, NEW ZEALAND

The helicopter lands at the DUNEDIN airport as a charter plane is awaiting the man. The pilot greets the man.

PILOT

Tetahi, welcome back to the mainland.

TETAHI

Thank you, Inuoh. I need you to keep the plane ready for take off. I need to stop by LARNACH CASTLE.

INUOH

Sure.

TETAHI hops into a car and drives off.

He arrives at LARNACH castle east of SOUTH DUNEDIN.

(Author's note: all locations are real and can be found via Google Maps / Earth)

TETAHI is met by a Tour guide.

TOUR GUIDE

Hi! Welcome to Larnach Castle! Would you like to take the tour toda-

TETAHI

Step aside...

TOUR GUIDE

I'm sorry sir, but this castle is not available for public viewing! (Smiles)

If you'd like a look inside, you must take the tour!

TETAHI

(yells) Erik!

A large slab in the ground dislodges and out comes a man and a woman.

ERIK

Lower your voice, MICHAEL. That is not necessary.

MICHAEL

I must speak with you in private.

ERIK sighs and signals the woman.

ERIK

N'ESTRE...

The woman caresses the face of the tour guide and whispers in her ear.

ERIK
Come, follow me.

MICHAEL
You have an ASTRAGA with you?

ERIK
How else am I supposed to live inside a tourist attraction.

MICHAEL sighs and follows ERIK and N'ESTRE into the catacombs of LARNACH. They climb stairs at the end of the tunnel which come up to a wing of the castle that is inaccessible to the public.

ERIK
(sits at the head of the table)
So, what is it you're here for MICHAEL?

MICHAEL
I have learned that my brother VIKTOR has met the true death.

ERIK
Why should we care?

MICHAEL
Because you are all SANGUINARI! (points at everyone in the hall)

ERIK
And where were you during this occurrence?

MICHAEL
(looks down in shame)
I wanted to protect the clan.

ERIK

Well, we were exiled from the clan. Now you want us to return to the fray?

MICHAEL

I have no choice now. The clan needs a PRIME or they will fall into disarray. Besides, there is a group of REVENANTS and WOLVES that have declared war on us. Aren't you itching to get back into the fold?

ERIK

Interesting. Are these REVENANTS responsible for VIKTOR's true death?

MICHAEL

I can only imagine.

ERIK

What do you think N'ESTRE?

N'ESTRE

It would be nice to see my sister. Why not?

ERIK

If you are to become the next PRIME, MICHAEL. I would like your assurance that the PIATRA are welcomed back into the clan.

MICHAEL

I would welcome you, ERIK PIATRA.

ERIK

What are we waiting for then? (stands up)

NAUKLUFT MOUNTAIN, NAMIBIA

URIEN and KLAUS enter a small cave at the foot of the mountain and sit down at the far end. URIEN starts a fire and lights all the other braziers around the clearing.

KLAUS
Where are we?

URIEN
We are at our first safe point. Our clan has several safe points around the world.

Family members begin to file in as URIEN whispers to KLAUS introducing him to all of the clan members.

URIEN
(The head of VITEZIA come in first)
Those two are the twins, IZANAGI and IZANAMI. Between the two of them, they can reach sonic speeds. They have a technique that only the two of them can achieve. By accelerating together at the same time they can create a sonic boom or wave that can knock back even VIKTOR, if only by a few feet.

KLAUS
Unbelievable...

URIEN
(The head of FALCARI enter)
That is MARCUS FALCARI. He is the only one of the family that is capable of igniting himself while in ash form, creating a firestorm.

KLAUS

A firestorm?

URIEN

Like a meteor shower but on a smaller scale...that's my best explanation (laughs)

(A falcon flies into the cave and morphs into a woman)

That is ALESSIA FIARA. She can somehow take shape of beasts that do not match her size constraints. The largest beast she has ever shifted into was a rhino.

KLAUS

A rhino?! That's nowhere near her size!

URIEN

I am well aware of that.

(A woman clad in a long, silver, flowing dress with a deep v-line extending down to below her belly button exposing much of her upper body.)

And that vixen...is EMILIA ASTRAGA. She once allured an entire room to do her bidding. Although if she does this, she needs several minutes to recover. Give her an army full of physically strong and mentally weak men... and she is the most dangerous woman in the world.

KLAUS

They all make you look like small time!

URIEN

Thanks, I think...

KLAUS

Well... forgive me, you know what I mean!

URIEN

It **is** quite overwhelming.

All of the heads take their seats. They bow their heads and sit in silence.

KLAUS

(Whispers to URIEN)

What's going on?

URIEN

They are honoring the former PRIME.

KLAUS

VIKTOR?

URIEN

Yes.

KLAUS

Where is the rest of the family?

URIEN

Only the heads meet at the summit. A precaution to not expose all of us.

They all open their eyes and turn to URIEN.

URIEN

Thank you all for coming. The first order of business is that we need to elect a PRIME to lead the clan.

IZANAGI

How can any of us lead - we do not possess,
any of us, the PRIME mutation.

IZANAMI

He is right. No one family has the right and
ability to lead us all.

MARCUS

I beg to differ. Our mutation is superior to
all.

ALESSIA

If by superior you mean "generic" then I too
agree to that sentiment.

MARCUS (sneers at ALESSIA)

You would talk, lowly creature.

EMILIA

Would you all be silent please. We are all
descended from the same mutation. To talk
down to ALESSIA would be to talk down to the
powers of the PRIME.

Suddenly the sound of wolves howling outside penetrates the
walls of the cave.

MARCUS

This is concerning...is there a reason
wolves would know the location of our safe
point?

ALESSIA

I know I was not followed, I took to the
sky.

MARCUS

The FALCARI travel with the wind as well.

EMILIA

I do not believe any one of us were followed.

IZANAGI

Are you suggesting someone betrayed us?

EMILIA

It is quite possible. VIKTOR met true death because of this REVENANT, WOLF collaboration.

IZANAMI

ALESSIA, would you be so kind as to scout outside?

ALESSIA

(nods)

ALESSIA shifts into a small rat and trods to the outside of the cave. She sees a pack of 12 wolves closing in on the cave entrance. She retreats back to the cave.

ALESSIA

(shifts back to form) There is a pack of twelve outside this cave. They will besiege this cave in less than 10 seconds.

MARCUS

Wolves are not known to travel these parts, this was set up.

IZANAMI

What do we do? If they are Omega - their strength together will be stronger than all of us.

IZANAGI

Stronger than us yes. But not faster.

IZANAMI

Brother, you and I both know that we could only take on 4 Omega at once. The more Omegas that are present, the more powerful each individual gets. Even if we could overwhelm them with speed we could not harm them with our strength.

EMILIA

I think we are forgetting that they are working with REVENANTS as well. We must practice caution if we are to engage them.

IZANAGI

I propose MARCUS create a firestorm to surround them and gather them up. IZANAMI and I will create a sonic wave to blow them all back. In that moment, we would scatter.

ALESSIA

That could work.

URIEN

There are 12 wolves out there. Have any of you faced a pack of more than 4?

They all looked around and could not answer.

URIEN

I don't think even your sonic boom technique could blow them back enough to create an opening.

IZANAGI

It will have to. That is our only option. We are cornered and that is something I seldom say.

URIEN

Maybe if I joined in, and helped create a stronger sonic wave?

IZANAMI

I apologize URIEN but you are not strong enough in speed. The sonic wave is created by equal and opposing speeds creating a sine effect.

URIEN

I understand..

KLAUS

What if you created a sonic wave of MARCUS' firestorm?

They all looked at the new progeny in befuddlement and then looked at each other.

ALESSIA

That is an interesting stratagem. You must be the new progeny we all keep hearing about?

KLAUS

Yes. I figure if a PRIME could dispatch of a pack of Omegas with ease - then the best way to fight them would be to emulate a PRIME's

powers.

IZANAGI

I like the way you think boy. We could create a sonic wave that would shoot MARCUS in ash form, forward. Once he ignites the ensuing storm may be strong enough to at least incapacitate the wolves enough for us to retreat.

MARCUS

It is worth a shot.

They all run out the cave to meet their opposers. The twelve wolves have already laid siege to the cave entrance covering all escape routes. There is a man in between the pack of wolves with a sword.

MAN WITH SWORD

Well this is just good luck. The heads of each family - present in one convenient spot. You're all going to die here.

The man with the sword runs forward and the wolves run in after him. The SANGUINARI all prepare for their combination attack.

Suddenly, a figure drops onto a wolf and breaks its back. Another figure grabs a wolf by the neck. He squeezes the neck so much that the wolf returns to human form and begins to scream.

FIGURE

Do you know the difference between a PRIME and those folks by the cave?

WOLFMAN
Ugh... what?!

FIGURE
The PRIME has OUR strength.
(snaps neck)

IZANAGI
Japanese: 誰! (Who the?!)

N'ESTRE joins the group and stops by EMILIA.

N'ESTRE
My lord (bows)

EMILIA
N'ESTRE! I have missed you so!

ERIK!

ERIK turns back to the group and yells.

ERIK
You may want to get back into the cave it's
going to get messy!

The group retreats into the cave entrance under cover. Suddenly a great winged beast descends upon the pack and breathes fire and incinerates the whole pack. The beast dissipates into ash and lands on the ground in front of the man with the sword.

MAN WITH SWORD
Who the hell are you?!

The figure grabs the sword and breaks it in half. Then decapitates the hunter with the broken half.

The figure turns around to the families.

URIEN
MICHAEL?!

The figure walks to the cave entrance and greets the families with ERIK.

MICHAEL
I am returned.

KLAUS
URIEN...did I just see a dragon?

URIEN
I don't even know what I saw, myself..

ERIK
It's good to see you all again.

KLAUS
Who are you?

ERIK
I am ERIK PIATRA...our family is the emissary of strength.

KLAUS
When URIEN spoke of the PRIME and how one could easily dispatch of a wolf pack without an Alpha, I knew there was something missing from the families present.

The other families looked at each other and then bowed their heads in acknowledgement.

ERIK
We...were exiled from the clan.

KLAUS
Why is that?

MICHAEL

That is irrelevant. The whole family is returned and the clan is at full strength now. We must prepare ourselves for war. As most of you know KLAUS here is the progeny that the DHAMPIR have been searching for. No doubt they have scouts here and that little display did not do us any favors in remaining concealed.

We must assume that the DHAMPIR now know about KLAUS.

KLAUS

Wait, how do you know about me?

MICHAEL

I am the one who brought you to ROMANIA.

URIEN

So you sired him?!

MICHAEL

No.

IZANAGI

Then who did?

MICHAEL

I will explain later. Right now we need to gather at one of our other safe points and plan for an offensive against both the REVENANTS, DHAMPIR and the new wolf pack. We have not faced their ALPHA yet so their strength has not even seen full potential.

I need all of you to gather your families. We will gather at our WEST safe point.

IZANAMI

(swipes the air as if to protest)

You have been recluse for many years and suddenly you assume PRIME leadership?!

IZANAGI

(places hand on shoulder to calm down)

お姉さん、 やめて! (Sister, stop!)

EMILIA

I agree, he may have saved us just now but-

MICHAEL

I am the only PRIME left. None of you could assume the role anyway. I have been watching over the families from a distance. I am well aware of the politics. But this is also why I stayed away to begin with.

URIEN

Explain what we just saw, MICHAEL.

MICHAEL

(glances at URIEN and then looks down)

It is the result of my seclusion. While VIKTOR spoiled himself in the glory of the hallowed halls, never pushing the boundaries of his abilities - I trained. Much like all of you who have unique abilities among the family, I pushed the limits of my own body and achieved a higher level of existence. The beast you saw was a combination of FIARA and FALCARI institutions.

MARCUS steps in front of MICHAEL in a very brazen manner.

MARCUS

If you're the one who brought KLAUS to

ROMANIA, then you sired him.

MICHAEL

I already told you, I did not sire him.

MARCUS

Then explain yourself!

MICHAEL

I brought him to ROMANIA to protect him.

MICHAEL pauses for a moment and looks around at the doubtful faces staring back at him.

MICHAEL

About 10 years ago, I was in LONDON. I had been watching KLAUS since then. To confirm my suspicions.

KLAUS

You've been stalking me!

MICHAEL

On the contrary, I've been keeping you from doing harm.

KLAUS

What?!

MICHAEL

You cannot lie to me, I know the truth.

KLAUS

I don't know what you speak of...(looks around unsure)

MICHAEL

You were a virgin for a very good reason, and it wasn't because you were saving

yourself. You were very much in love with someone and she, you.

KLAUS
Stop it...

MICHAEL
I noticed the symptoms a bit earlier than you. But every time you tried to be intimate with her - you had urges.

KLAUS
Don't speak of AMALINE!

URIEN
(puts hand on KLAUS' chest) Let him speak.

KLAUS looks down and clenches his fists.

MICHAEL
AMALINE was also a virgin. Which explains why your cravings manifested so suddenly. You could not control yourself around her. That is why you could not pursue intimacy.

KLAUS, the moment you blacked out, I took you from LONDON and brought you to ROMANIA where I knew you would receive tutelage under VIKTOR.

I never sired you.

Silence filled the cave and only silent acoustics echoed through the tunnels. Everyone looking at each other to make sense of the situation.

MICHAEL
KLAUS...

KLAUS

(Shouts) Shut up!

MICHAEL

The SANGUINARI mutation was born in you.
From perfectly human parents.

KLAUS

(Starts to tear from abnegation.)

MARCUS

(grabs MICHAEL by the collar of his shirt,
MICHAEL does nothing)
You mean to tell me this brat is of PRIME
descent?!

MICHAEL

When I was sired by ADAM 2,000 years ago we
had no name for him.

KLAUS is more than a PRIME..

KLAUS looks down at his hands and starts hyperventilating.

URIEN

KLAUS??

KLAUS faints and falls to the ground at the revelation of his
origin.

MICHAEL

I had no choice. I insist that you trust me
and we move on to safe point six. There we
can gather our families and mount a defense.

IZANAGI

We don't have a sixth safe point.

ERIK

That's the point sillies. If we don't have one, they can't know about it.

MICHAEL walks outside as the rest of them follow.

MICHAEL

Everyone on my back.

MICHAEL gets on all fours and starts to writhe. His body begins to contort and suddenly shift. The winged beast appears before them.

MICHAEL

Hurry.

DHAMPIR HEADQUARTERS - UNDISCLOSED LOCATION

ALEXANDER walks into a control room with several people looking into monitors and typing away at their consoles.

ALEXANDER

What do we got?

SECURITY

You're going to want to look at this footage, sir.

ALEXANDER

Put it on main.

The footage shows MICHAEL descending upon the pack of wolves and incinerating them with his fire breath.

ALEXANDER

What the hell is that?!

SECURITY

Keep watching.

ALIN walks into the control room while the footage plays back. The winged beast shifts into MICHAEL, the footage ends.

ALEXANDER

Is that who I think it is?

ALIN (interrupts)

MICHAEL...

ALEXANDER

Since when can the PRIMES transform into dragons?

ALIN

This is new to me.

SECURITY

Sir, we also have confirmation.

ALIN

Play the footage.

Footage shows of the Vampires gathered by MICHAEL as he shifts into a dragon again. Video footage pauses as URIEN is carrying KLAUS onto MICHAEL's back. Video zooms in and enhances the matrixed image.

SECURITY

We have facial confirmation.

ALEXANDER

Well, will you look at that? Looks like you get your vindication.

ALIN

That's KLAUS AUGENTHALER from LONDON!

ALEXANDER

This is enough to move on. I want the south

Arche Hunters to take a tac team out to the last known location and bear down on the Vampires.

ALIN, I want you to lead the East team in moving on the VITEZIA estate in TOKYO.

ALIN
Roger that.

ALEXANDER
Get KIRA on comms.

SECURITY
Yes sir.

KIRA (via comms)
What is it?

ALEXANDER
Are you busy?

KIRA
Just so happens the ASTRAGA are scrambling. Looks like they're emptying their estate and moving.

ALEXANDER
I want you to wait for the North Blood Hunters to rendezvous with you - Then you will lead their raid on the ASTRAGA. Do everything you can to stall their movements.

KIRA
Roger. (comms out)

ALEXANDER

CLARA (Yes, sir - comms) you will lead the West Blood Hunters and raid the FALCARI and FIARA raids. Take another ARCHE HUNTER with you. I'm sending ABEL your way.

CLARA (comms)
Got it.

Alright listen folks. This is it. The treatise is now expunged. We are at war. From here on out, if there is any Vampire out there Strigoi or SANGUINARI - I want to know about it. Let's get to work!

UNKNOWN LOCATION - 2 HOURS LATER

A dark room. Shot behind a chair. A man sitting in the chair. Across the table is another man with a hat covering half his face and a trenchcoat. Hair coming down his face.

MAN #1

You assured me that if I gave you my Omegas, you could take out the SANGUINARI.

MAN #2

They were far stronger than anticipated.

ALPHA

Aren't you DHAMPIR taught not to underestimate your adversaries?

DHAMPIR-REVENANT

We killed VIKTOR didn't we?!

ALPHA

You're lucky my Omegas were not harmed in that assault. But the assault on the families cost me a third of my pack. I grow

weaker each Omega I lose.

DHAMPIR-REVENANT

Then haze some more Omega! We are already acting out of accord with the treaty anyway.

ALPHA

Shut up! I don't take orders from you. Even if I haze more Omega, it's their individual strength that I benefit from. I can haze 10 new Omegas by tomorrow but individually they would only be as valuable as the 1 Omega I have trained through the years.

A man enters from the side.

MAN

That's enough ALDRIC. Go tend to your wolfly matters and leave CHILLBLAINS.

ALDRIC

(growls) Sir...

ALDRIC leaves the scene.

MAN

The hour is nigh. We now have confirmation that MICHAEL is indeed alive.

CHILLBLAINS

We only had to lose one of our best REVENANTS to confirm that.

MAN

Now now GREGOR... All in due time. Their sacrifice will know justice. Besides, I highly doubt he was one of your best if he fell to MICHAEL.

GREGOR CHILLBLAINS

MICHAEL turned into a fucking dragon!

MAN

(Maniacal cackle) YES! Brilliant isn't it?!

CHILLBLAINS

You're mad...

MAN

My attention turns to this new progeny,
KLAUS. If our intel is correct...he is of
pure blood.

CHILLBLAINS

A PRIME SANGUINARI?

MAN

No...purer.

CHILLBLAINS

You mean he was born that way?

MAN

Exactly...a phenomenon not witnessed since
ADAM and LILITH. GREGOR, I need you to
dispatch some REVENANTS to the ASTRAGA and
VITEZIA estates. Soon they will be at war
with each other...and we'll have opportunity
to rid ourselves with both THE ORDER and
SANGUINARI.

CHILLBLAINS

Your will. HELSING.

FADE OUT