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Chapter 91

Chapter 91 You're Just a Nobody

Daniella's resentment surged, and her expression quickly changed. "What does it have to do with you? Who are you to criticize me here?"

Paige fired back, undeterred. "I'm not as shameless as you. Despite being with Mr. Jordan, you still hooked up with another man."

Daniella shot a fierce glare at Paige. "You better shut the fuck up! I'll give you a tight slap if you don't shut up."

Unfazed, Paige raised her chin calmly. "Go ahead. I'm right here. Let's see who ends up being slapped. I can't believe the Xanders are blind enough to accept a deceitful woman like you as their family. You're cunning and scheming. Nobody knows if you tampered with the DNA test report.

Daniella trembled with anger. "You! Cut the crap!"

Paige retorted, "Oh, look at how desperate you've become. I was right! You're a phony!"

Caroline's head throbbed from their argument. "Paige, let's not argue with her. It's pointless."

Paige acquiesced. "Fine, I'll listen to you. Arguing with a fool will only make me a fool."

With that, she grabbed her bag. "I'm leaving. I'll text you."

Caroline nodded and watched Paige leave the room.

Then, her gaze fell on Daniella, whose face was livid with rage.

Caroline spoke coldly, "Is there anything else?"

Daniella sneered, "Caroline, you're just a nobody to me. You better know your place, or my grandpa won't let a homewrecker like you off the hook."

Caroline smirked. "Please ask your grandpa to deal with Evan first."

Enraged, Daniella lunged toward Caroline, raising her hand to slap her.

But before she could make contact, someone intervened and tried to stop her at the door.

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"Ms. Love!" Lily called out urgently, blocking Daniella's path. She then stepped forward, standing protectively in front of Caroline. "Ms. Love, Mr. Jordan will be furious if you do this."

Daniella glared fiercely at Lily before delivering a slap to her face. The sound echoed through the room, causing Caroline's eyes to widen in shock.

In an instant, a vivid memory flashed in Caroline's mind—a scene where her mother was berated and humiliated by others.

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Daniella continued to assert her dominance, interrogating Lily. "Have you forgotten how you

should address me?"

Lily held her face, her eyes turning scarlet as she hastily apologized. "I'm sorry. I'm so sorry, Ms. Love. It's my fault..."

Caroline interjected forcefully, "You did nothing wrong!"

She pushed the blanket aside and dragged her weary body out of bed. Stepping forward, she approached Daniella with a cold expression. "Apologize to Lily!"

Daniella was taken aback by Caroline's icy and stern gaze, taking a couple of steps back in slight

fear.

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In a swift motion, Caroline extended her hand, gripping Daniella's long hair tightly. With great force, she made Daniella bend over, eliciting a scream of pain.

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Caroline continued to slap her, unable to contain her rage. In the midst of it, Lily rushed forward, pleading desperately.

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However, something seemed to possess Caroline, preventing her from stopping. She couldn't control herself. After repeatedly slapping Daniella, a sudden angry roar from behind broke through the chaos.

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Caroline abruptly halted, a moment of clarity washing over her.

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Evan tilted his body, his gaze aloof. "Do you need me to repeat myself?"

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With that, Daniella burst into tears. She hastily got up and rushed out of the room.

Caroline sneered. It was rare to see him being fair for once.

She assumed that he would be fooled by his first love once more.

After Daniella left, Evan turned his gaze toward Lily and said, "Just go to bed."

Worry laced Lily's expression as she glanced at Caroline, who nodded in response. She left the

room, leaving the two alone.

"Are you done?" Evan's voice was low as he questioned Caroline.

Caroline gave him a fleeting look before settling herself by the edge of the bed. Exhaustion weighed heavily on her, and she had no desire to engage in further conversation with him.

Evan pulled a chair from the side and sat down.

"You shouldn't keep targeting her. She's a Xander now. If the Xanders discover this, they won't let

you off easily."

Caroline smirked with a hint of sarcasm.

"Do you think I'm afraid?"

"I don't care if you're afraid or not. I just don't want to see you becoming a target of the Xanders."

Caroline looked at him, confusion flickering in her eyes. 'How could he say this? If it weren't for him, would I be facing this situation today? If he had let me go earlier, everything would have

ended in the best way.

Suppressing the ache within her, Caroline pursed her lips and said, "Well, I should thank you for

your kindness."

Evan gradually clenched his fists, his gaze fixed on her indifferent cheek. "Rest well. Just sleep."

With that, he stood up and left the bedroom.

Caroline pulled the blanket over herself, lying in bed as she stared blankly at the ceiling.

She needed to rest and recover. If she didn't, she would never witness Daniella's fall from her lofty

position into the deep abyss.

At half past ten that night, Paige called Caroline.

She quickly answered the phone and asked hurriedly, "How did it go? Did you find any detailed clues or bank transfer records? Has she been keeping in touch with Nicholas all this while?"

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Chapter 93 Futile Effort

Paige remained silent for a moment on the other end of the phone. "Caroline..."

A sinking feeling settled in Caroline's heart. She blinked back tears and urged, "Please continue."

"She had downloaded some kind of app on her phone that automatically deletes all calls and messages immediately after they are made or sent. There's nothing suspicious in her current bank transfer records. Nothing aligns with our suspicions. I suspect she didn't use her card for the transfer..."

Caroline initially registered Paige's words, but soon her comprehension faltered.

'How did it come to this... The evidence to expose Daniella is right in front of me, yet I didn't anticipate it would be futile. I've only managed to entangle myself in this mess.'

"Carol..." Paige's voice came through in a worried whisper.

With a determined effort, Caroline steadied her voice. "Thank you, Paige. I'll end the call now."

Paige sighed in response. "Alright, don't worry. I'll keep brainstorming ideas to help you."

Caroline ended the call and rested her forehead on her knees. Tremors wracked her body as she/ wept.

'What can I do to punish the villain?'

Meanwhile, Evan received a call from Reuben in his study. "Mr. Jordan, our team traced the IP address of that individual. By the time they arrived, the person had already fled." novelbin

Silence enveloped Evan as he rhythmically tapped his fingers on the table.

Reuben continued, "Mr. Jordan, the person covered their tracks well. I believe it might be the same person who harmed Ms. Shenton previously. Additionally,

Celies one by one. One suspicious person we found was no "be it might be the

investigated all the dismissed

Cecilia Ford. She had a

transaction amounting to 7,000 dollars. We looked into the sender of the money, but it turned out to be an ordinary individual." @

Evan's gaze grew intense.

"Got it. What about the background investigation on Chloe?"

Reuben replied, "I apologize, Mr. Jordan. We're still conducting the investigation."

Evan said, "Go and look into the information of the teachers from the year Caroline was adopted. Ask them if they have any impression of the girl with a red cinnabar mole on her earlobe."

"Alright, Mr. Jordan," Reuben acknowledged before ending the call.

+15 BONUS

After returning to International Residence, Daniella unleashed her anger by smashing various

objects in her room.

Why did he let Caroline stay in Villa Rosa? Why was she the one driven out instead? Was he

treating her this way because of a mere housemaid? She couldn't understand his actions at all.

'Since he could be so heartless to me, I'm going to suppress him with my identity as a Xander!'

Caroline fumed. 1

Lost in her thoughts, her phone suddenly rang.

Daniella hastily grabbed her phone and, upon seeing the caller ID, answered immediately.

"Grandpa…" Grayson heard the strain in Daniella's voice and quickly inquired, "Ella, what's wrong? Who has hurt you?"

Daniella was about to explain when she was suddenly struck by a sharp pain in her abdomen.

She lowered her head and saw blood staining the floor. Her face turned pale, and she cried out, Grandpa, I'm bleeding. My baby..."

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Anxious, Grayson responded, "Ella, don't panic. I will call 911 for you right away. Just wait for me. I'm coming."

Half an hour later, Daniella found herself lying in a hospital ward, an IV drip attached to the back

of her hand.

Grayson arrived at the hospital with Neil in tow.

Upon seeing Daniella alone in the ward, his expression darkened imely

"Ella, why isn't Evan with you?"

Through her weak sobs, Daniella replied, "Grandpa, Evan is busy. I didn't want to bother him."

Chapter 94

Chapter 94 A Near Miscarriage

"What's more important than your baby?" Grayson was fuming with deep wrath.

He fished his phone out of his pocket. "I must tell Draco about this and ask him to discipline his son properly. My granddaughter should not suffer such grievances."

Daniella became so anxious that she sat up in bed.

"Grandpa, please don't call him. Evan, he..." She hesitated midway, biting her lip and bowing her head.

Meanwhile, Neil's face remained impassive and serious. If his intuition was correct, Evan would likely be with Caroline at the moment. Daniella's sudden pitiful act seemed to be directed toward Caroline

Addressing Grayson, Neil spoke calmly, "Grandpa, perhaps you should call Evan first. Daniella didn't inform him about this situation. It wouldn't be appropriate to rushingly contact Master Jordan."

Grayson's hand froze momentarily before he nodded thoughtfully. "Hmm, I will call Evan first."

As he spoke, Grayson dialed Evan's number. When Evan answered, Grayson inquired, "Evan, are you still busy?"

Evan, visibly frustrated, rubbed his temples. "No, what's the matter, Master Xander?"

With a stern tone, Grayson replied, "If you're free, come to the hospital. Ella nearly had a

miscarriage."

Evan's expression quickly turned grave. "Which hospital?" novelbin

After providing Evan with the hospital information, Grayson ended the call. Still feeling uneasy, he decided to call Draco. After a brief wait, Draco answered the phone.

"Gray, why are you calling me at this hour?"

Grayson responded, "Your family is so preoccupied. Are "ing to ignore my granddaughter?"

Draco chuckled. "What are you talking about?"

With frustration evident in his voice, Grayson replied, "My granddaughter is carrying your son's child, Evan's child. Were you not aware of this?"

Draco, feeling perplexed, retorted, "What did you say?"

Grayson erupted. "Didn't Evan inform you about such a significant matter? I don't want to waste time talking on the phone. You had better come to the hospital and teach Evan a lesson. He works

+15 BONUS

Upon hearing Grayson's call, Daniella couldn't help but feel inwardly ecstatic. However, Neil observed Grayson with concern.

'Why did Grandpa call Master Jordan directly?'

After hanging up the call, Grayson walked over and sat beside Daniella. "Ella, don't cry. I'll make things right for you."

Daniella timidly raised her head. "Grandpa, I can handle things on my own. I don't want to trouble you or make you worry."

Grayson insisted, "Ella, are you hiding something from me?"

Daniella pursed her lips and soon burst into tears.

"Grandpa, please don't ask any further."

Witnessing her hypocritical display, Neil left the ward with a sense of frustration.

He couldn't prevent Daniella from revealing her intentions. What troubled him most at this point was what would happen to Caroline. Even if he could halt his grandfather, he couldn't halt the Jordan family from dealing with her.

Furrowing his brow, Neil made his way downstairs to the inpatient department to wait.

Twenty minutes later, he spotted Evan approaching the inpatient department.

Neil stepped forward, blocking Evan's path. "Evan, you and I need to talk about something."

Evan glanced at Neil. "I don't believe there's anything to discuss between us."

With that, he continued walking forward.

Anger began to simmer in Neil's eyes.

"If you truly want to protect Caroline and keep her in Villa Rosa, then you need to figure out a way. My grandfather just called your father. It won't be long before they discover that Caroline is still

with you."

Chapter 95

Chapter 95 Find Out Who Caroline Is

Evan halted in his tracks and turned around, his expression cold and unyielding.

"Caroline's safety is none of your business."

Neil clenched his fists in response.

"I won't forgive you if she faces even the slightest harm!"

"Don't tell me you're interested in my woman!" Evan sneered and scoffed.

"Don't cross the line! Daniella is still carrying your child, and she's lying in the hospital ward.

While I can't interfere in Daniella's affairs, if you can't protect Caroline, I'll seize the opportunity to

take her away." novelbin

Evan's eyes turned icy. "We'll see if you ever get that chance."

With that, his gaze shifted to a spot not far away.

Neil followed his gaze and saw Draco approaching with a furious expression. Neil greeted him,

but his greeting was ignored.

Draco walked straight to Evan and berated him, "Why didn't you tell me that your fiancée is

pregnant? Have you no regard for me as your father?"

Evan snapped, "I told you to stay out of my affairs."

"You shouldn't have embarrassed our family then."

Draco slammed his walking stick forcefully against the ground. "And who is this Caroline? You

shouldn't have dallied with a seductress while being engaged to the granddaughter of the Xander

family."

Evan's eyes turned icy as he locked his gaze with Draco, who appeared to have lost his sanity.

After a moment, he sneered and remarked, "I believe you've forgotten how my eldest brother and

my second eldest brother came into existence."

"How dare you!" Draco glared fiercely at Evan. "Shut up!"

However, Evan ignored him and turned to leave.

Draco then directed a sinister gaze toward his assistant beside him. "Find out who Caroline is."

Hearing their conversation, Neil furrowed his brow He needed to expedite his investigation into

Caroline's identity If not, the Jordan family would not let her escape unscathed.

+15 BONUS

On the second day, after Evan had left, Caroline went downstairs to have breakfast.

Lily had prepared a nutritious meal for her, taking into account her overall well-being.

Caroline looked at Lily's face with concern. "Does it still hurt?"

Lily chuckled. "It's not the first time I've had such an incident, Ms. Shenton. You don't need to

worry about me."

After a brief pause, Caroline asked, "Lily, do you have children? How old are they?"

Lily was taken aback. "Yes, I do. My son is married and has a family of his own now."

Caroline continued, "Lily, would you be willing to come with me if I hire you?"

"Of course, I would be willing," Lily replied with a smile. "I'd be happy to take care of you, even if the salary is slightly lower."

"I'm going abroad," Caroline explained honestly.

She thought to herself, 'If Lily is willing, at least I'll have someone to take care of me when I give

birth to the babies. I'll even have someone to take care of my children later, so I can study with

peace of mind.

"Abroad?" Lily was slightly surprised.

"Ms. Shenton, you're going abroad? For how long?"

"I'm not sure yet," Caroline replied, pursing her lips. "Maybe for a year or two."

Lily furrowed her brow. "I can go with you, but Ms. Shenton, is there a specific reason why you

want to bring me along?"

Caroline hesitated, contemplating whether she should tell Lily about her pregnancy.

Suddenly, there was a knock on the door.

Lily immediately went to answer it. When she saw Draco, confusion clouded her face. "May I know

who you are?"

Draco cast a cold glance at Lily before walking straight into the living room.

Caroline turned around and saw an elderly man with white hair standing before her, flanked by

two bodyguards.

Naturally, Grayson spotted Caroline.

He narrowed his eyes slightly and asked, "You're Caroline?"

Caroline nodded "Yes, I am "

+15 BONUS

Draco signaled to his entourage, and one of the bodyguards approached Caroline.

"Ms. Shenton, my master would like to speak with you. Please have a seat on the sofa over there."

Chapter 96

Chapter 96 Insensible

Caroline was rendered speechless. 'Master?'

She observed the old man carefully, noticing a slight resemblance to Evan in his features.

'Is he Evan's grandfather?'

Caroline couldn't be certain. She was unfamiliar with the members of the Jordan family, despite

being with Evan for three years.

Feeling doubtful, she walked over to the sofa and sat down.

Draco then sized her up before he uttered icily, "You're pretty but you're too insensible."

Caroline furrowed her brows lightly, perplexed.

'When did I offend this old man?' novelbin

Remaining calm, she asked, "Sir, may I know what I did wrong to warrant such harsh words?"

"Harsh?" Draco scoffed. "Leaving Evan would be the right thing to do. You should know it's the

right thing to do."

Caroline chuckled. "I want to leave, but Evan won't let me go."

"Is that the truth, or have you used some tricks to ensnare him?" Draco interrogated.

Caroline replied, "Sir, Evan is the leader of MK in the Etes area. He holds immeasurable power and

enjoys a superior status. He's intelligent and resourceful. Do you think he wouldn't see through

any tricks I might play?"

Draco assessed Caroline. As expected, she was deserving of her previous position as the head

secretary at MK for three years. Her manner of speaking was composed and rational.

Unfortunately, her background was too humble, so she would never be accepted into the Jordan

family.

"I will offer you one million, along with a villa in a city of your choice. You can select the location.

I only have one condition: leave Evan."

"I've never cared about my identity or status. As for the money..." Caroline flashed a faint smile.

"I'm not concerned about that right now. Instead of speaking to me here, you'd better try to

persuade Evan to let me go."

Draco scoffed in response. "You don't want money? Then how do you explain being my son's mistress for three years, huh?"

Caroline found herself at a loss for words.

+15 BONUS

Notably, Draco's appearance bore a resemblance to someone who could be Evan's grandfather.

However, Caroline decided to focus on the matter at hand and replied, "This is my private affair, so

I don't have to tell you everything."

Draco then inquired, "So, you refuse to leave?"

Caroline reiterated with indifference, "I will naturally leave if Evan lets go of me."

"Fine. Don't even dream of getting anything I offered just now."

"Not even for a moment," Caroline calmly replied.

Draco rose from his seat. "It seems you're not as clever as I thought."

With that, he walked out of Villa Rosa.

Once the door closed, Lily hurriedly approached Caroline. "Ms. Shenton, you were so daring. That

was Mr. Jordan's father."

She couldn't deny feeling nervous.

In the past, she would have panicked and carefully weighed her words. But now, all Caroline could

think about was recovering well and leaving Evan.

With a faint smile, Caroline reassured Lily, "It's alright, Lily. I spoke the truth. There's nothing to

be afraid of."

Draco called her foolish for not leaving herself an exit strategy. She had chosen to reject the

money when it was offered to her.

Currently, she had over 400,000 dollars saved. That should be enough to support herself and her

children in the future while she found a job.

If she had accepted the money, it would have confirmed that she used tricks to cling to Evan.

After calming herself, she said, "Lily, I have some unspoken troubles, but I can't reveal them for

Chapter 97

Chapter 97 You Have My Word

Lily spoke up, "Ms. Shenton, I can go with you. Just let me know in advance so that I can make the

necessary preparations."

At noon, in MK headquarters.

Draco arrived at the company to meet Evan. Taking a seat on the sofa, he commented, "You've

found yourself a clever and articulate girl."

Evan's expression suddenly turned cold, and his voice carried a hint of gloom. "Did you meet

Caroline?"

"When do you plan on getting rid of that woman?" Draco demanded.

"And when are you going to marry Ella?"

Evan closed the document in front of him. "I made myself very clear last night. You don't have to

worry about my personal affairs."

"If you don't want to handle it, I'll take care of it for you," Draco asserted with a harsh tone.

An icy chill swept over Evan. "If you dare to touch Caroline, I won't hesitate to remove every post

Adam and his family hold in this company!"

"You don't have that authority yet!" Draco struck his walking stick against the floor in anger.

"Do you think you can intimidate me just by raising your voice?" Evan let out a cold chuckle.

"I won't interfere with them as long as you don't do anything about Caroline."

Draco glared fiercely at Evan. "Well, it seems you've become quite rebellious."

Evan replied coolly, "You should enjoy your retirement and not concern yourself with matters that

are none of your business."

"I can reclaim everything I've given you!" Draco's anger caused him to tremble.

Evan reminded him, "Do I need to remind you of the consequences when my elder brother and

Adam took over MK in the past?"

"You!" Draco abruptly stood up, gritting his teeth and saying, "I never took you for an affectionate

man." With that, he turned around and left.

At night, Grayson accompanied Daniella back to Xander Residence for her to recover. He offered her consolation, saying, "My dear, stay here and rest assured."

+15 BONUS

Daniella wore a look of apology. "Grandpa, I feel so sorry for causing you so much trouble because

of me."

"How many times do you need to say that?" Grayson replied, feeling sympathy for her. "You are

my biological granddaughter."

Daniella nodded. "Okay, Grandpa. But can you promise me one thing?"

Grayson assured her, "Tell me, and I'll make the promise."

"Can you not be angry with Evan?" Daniella asked, her expression downcast.

"After all, I am partially responsible for this situation. I didn't handle our relationship well."

With a scoff, Grayson remarked, "What more can I say? You're engaged to Evan, and I should have

dealt with that shameless woman instead! Rest well and leave this matter to me."

Daniella suppressed a triumphant smile. That was the promise she had hoped for.

"Grandpa, you're the best! From now on, I'll treat you even better."

Neil overheard their conversation as he had just arrived upstairs. novelbin

Standing by the door of the room, he observed Daniella's bright smile and furrowed his brow

deeply.

'Isn't it too obvious that she wants to use Grandpa to deal with Caroline? She's not my sister, no doubt about it. After all, Mom and Dad were never afraid to love openly and confront their enemies.'

Neil averted his gaze and took out his phone, sending a text to Caroline.

[Caroline, I suggest you do your best to stay at Villa Rosa for now. Don't go out.]

Caroline, who was about to start writing a manuscript on her laptop, received the message from

Neil.

She quickly replied, [Mr. Xander, what do you mean?]

[Daniella is currently at Xander Residence. She'll try to manipulate Grandpa into taking action

against you.]

Upon reading the message, Caroline sneered. Daniella had no power to make Evan truly loyal to her, so she continuously tried to create trouble for Caroline.

Even if Daniella succeeded in having Evan, she would fail to win his heart.

Only Caroline would willingly accept such a losing deal.

Chapter 99

Chapter 99 Wait and See

+15 BONUS

Alex was left speechless. He responded, "By the way, you've been looking into Caroline's

background lately. Do you suspect that she was the one who saved you?"

"Mhmm." Evan was straightforward with Alex.

"I don't believe in so many coincidenazces. On the other hand, Daniella doesn't seem familiar to me."

"What did Caroline say?" Alex continued to inquire.

"She told me she doesn't remember what happened that year."

Alex fell into deep thought. "Could there have been some kind of accident in between?"

At the mention of that, Evan fell silent for a moment.

"Reuben discovered that Caroline was hospitalized for a period of time during her childhood."

Suddenly, something clicked in Alex's mind.

"That could very well be the reason for her memory loss," Alex suggested. "I think it would be wise

to have someone investigate her hospitalization in detail."

Evan narrowed his eyes and after a while, he took out his phone and sent a text to Reuben.

[Look into the reason for Caroline's hospitalization back then.]

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On Thursday, after submitting her design, Caroline asked Paige to accompany her for a prenatal

check-up at a rural hospital.

With four months into her pregnancy, her belly was starting to show a slight bulge.

The doctor smiled wryly and commented, "It's hard to find a woman in Angelbay City with such a discreet baby bump. Not to mention, you're carrying triplets!" 1

Caroline and Paige smiled but didn't respond.

After leaving the hospital, Paige touched Caroline's belly and suggested, "I think you should start wearing looser clothes."

Caroline agreed, "You're right. Since I'm pregnant with triplets, I need to wear loose–fitting clothes to hide it well "

"Let's go shopping then."

Paige pulled Caroline into the car and they headed to a shopping mall.

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They took the elevator to the third floor, where the maternity and baby section was located. There, Caroline spotted Daniella accompanied by two bodyguards.

Paige clenched her teeth in anger. "What terrible luck! We run into that arrogant bitch even when

we're just out shopping."

Observing the bags in the bodyguards' hands, Caroline remarked, "Looks like she's been shopping

too."

Paige linked her arm with Caroline's and hurriedly walked to the nearest maternity store. Just as they were selecting loose—fitting clothes, they heard Daniella's voice.

"What a coincidence! Running into you guys here."

Paige was about to argue with Daniella, but Caroline stopped her. "There's no point in arguing

with her."

Reluctantly, Paige held her tongue. However, Daniella approached them eagerly.

"Why are you buying clothes like these?" Daniella smirked arrogantly.

"Are you afraid of being forced to have an abortion if they find out?"

Annoyed, Paige returned the clothes to the rack and glared at Daniella. "Don't force me to publicly

humiliate you!"

However, Daniella brushed off Paige's words and continued to criticize Caroline.

"These clothes aren't cheap, but I suppose it's only fitting. I'm sure you've made quite a lot of money by selling your body during your three—year affair with Evan."

Caroline shot Daniella a cold glare. "I guess I didn't slap you hard enough the other day. You seem

to be itching for more, aren't you?"

A hint of panic flickered in Daniella's eyes before she regained her composure. "Go ahead, try

slapping me if you dare!"

"Do the Xanders know how arrogant you are?"

Caroline glanced at the expressionless bodyguards.

Daniella chuckled and asked, "Mateo, Felix, would you testify against me?"

"No, miss," the two bodyguards replied in unison.

Daniella let out a burst of unscrupulous laughter. "Did you hear that? Trust me, they will take

action against you if you dare to touch me now. Tsk! Even if you accidentally die right now,

nothing will happen to me."

+15 BONUS

"The Xander family may protect you, but Evan will despise you to the core," Caroline replied

calmly.

Daniella's lips twitched, and her gaze turned malicious.

"What else can you do besides shamelessly using Evan to suppress me?"

Caroline cracked a faint smile. "It's more than enough that he can suppress you, isn't it?"

Biting her lip, a wave of deep anger surged within Daniella. "My grandfather won't let you get

away with this. Just wait and see.

"Oh," Caroline responded expressionlessly.

Infuriated, Daniella stormed away from the scene.

Curiosity got the better of Paige, and she asked, "Did you really slap her?"

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Caroline nodded. "I did let out my anger after you left the other day."

Paige grabbed Caroline in agitation and shook her. "Next time, let me join in if there's a chance

like that!"

Caroline was greatly shocked by Paige's enthusiasm. 'What's so interesting about that?'

In the president's office at MK Corporation,

Reuben knocked on the door before entering Evan's office with some information in hand.

Approaching Evan's desk, he placed the gathered information on it. "Mr. Jordan, this is the

information regarding Ms. Shenton's hospitalization."

Evan took the documents and opened them, glancing through the contents.

When he saw the test report, his brows furrowed deeply.

"Memory loss due to a high fever?"

Reuben confirmed, "Yes. It's stated that Ms. Shenton was hospitalized for half a month after a

severe fever, and she experienced memory loss once it subsided. Mr. Jordan, there's another page.

Evan turned to the second page. As he read about the recorded incident, his expression instantly

turned somber.

"Did she endure some form of violence?"

Reuben explained, "It's unclear whether it was violence or not. When she was admitted to the

hospital, her body was covered with bruises."

Evan tightly grasped the information, his heart skipping a beat. Simultaneously, the coldness in

his eyes deepened. 'What the hell did she go through in her past?'

"What about the investigation into her teachers at the time?" Evan set the document aside, his

handsome face filled with seriousness.

Reuben replied, "I managed to contact three teachers, but they claim to have no recollection of it.

Mr. Jordan, most of the information has been lost. We need more time to reach the remaining

teachers."

Evan rubbed his forehead wearily.

"Alright, continue looking into it."

However, Reuben hesitated and remained in place, his expression embarrassed. He looked at Evan

Evan raised his head and spoke coldly, "Go on."

+15 BONUS

Reuben took a discreet breath. "Cecilia informed me that Ms. Love contacted her, asking for a way

to lure Ms. Shenton to the company. The timing coincides with when the secret was stolen."

Evan's handsome face turned extremely dark and cold. "Noted."

At six o'clock in the evening, Evan invited Daniella to have dinner at a restaurant.

Daniella spent a lot of effort dressing up before she went to meet Evan.

She entered the private room and saw Evan sitting on the sofa, wearing a black coat and a somber

expression.

Naturally, she felt a tinge of nervousness.

"Evan... I'm here," Daniella forced a tender smile, but Evan gave her a cold glance.

"Sit down."

Daniella took her seat and discreetly observed Evan.

With deep concern, she said, "Evan, it seems like you're not in a good mood."

However, Evan ignored her and picked up a folder from beside him, throwing it at Daniella. "You

need to explain this."

She was taken aback before opening the folder. As she read its contents, her expression stiffened slightly. Soon, her eyes turned scarlet.

Biting her lip, she set the document down and began to sob. "Evan, do you suspect me?"

"Why did you arrange for Caroline to come to the company?" Evan's voice had a sinister and icy

tone.

Daniella's tears flowed even more profusely. "Yes, it was me who asked the young secretary to bring Caroline to the company, but I did it for you. They told me that you weren't satisfied with their work after Caroline left. So, I thought it would be nice for her to join the company and help. That's why I had the young secretary lie to Caroline. Evan, I don't want to see you unhappy every day Your mood affects your health, and I want to take care of you."

Her explanation seemed flawless.

Doubt still lingered in Evan's mind. "You better not be lying to me."

Daniella wiped away her tears. "I'm carrying your child. Why would I jeopardize the company and

sell its secrets?"

*15 BONUS

"I don't recall ever telling you about what happened to the company.' Evan said as he glared at her