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Chapter 1431 Blame The Good Genes

Another brilliant strategy!

Nicole turned toward Davin, only to see that his face had turned purple in rage as he said, "But I didn't go. Do you even have to do that?"

"Do you wish to go? Even if you go, you know nothing!"

Sheila glared at him impatiently and continued, "Two days ago, she called Davin at midnight. She said that she was suffering from headaches and asked Davin to visit her. But Davin doesn't know how to take care of people. So my five best friends and I went to visit her and took good care of her. We didn't even dare to let her sleep for the whole night, worrying that she might suffer from headaches again. Just as I reached home the next day, she scolded Davin and blocked his number to my surprise! Isn't she an ungrateful woman? You better stay away from this kind of friend in the future, Davin!"

Davin snorted. "Don't worry. With a wife like you, there is no need for me to stay away from them. They will immediately retreat when they see me! From today onward, I will be a female insulator!"

"Hah! That's why I said you're lucky to marry a wife like me! You have found yourself a treasure!"

Davin could not refute her.

What a joke? Did I find a treasure? Hmph! She's obviously my archenemy!

Looking at his helpless expression, Sheila asked proudly, "Nicole, do you think I did the right thing? I treated Sasha well, didn't I?"

Nicole stole a glance at Davin and pursed her lips to stop herself from bursting into laughter. She then surreptitiously gave Sheila a thumbs-up.

"Nicole, there are too many pretentious b\*tches nowadays. If Evan is facing the same problem, you can probably use my methods."

Sheila paused and added in embarrassment, "But I'm overthinking it. I believe Evan will not meet such b\*tches. Even if he meets any of them, he can settle them by himself without your help." With that, she stared daggers at Davin. "Only a playboy would need his wife to deal with such women."

"Sheep, you can't say that. I didn't even mess with her. She was the one who harassed me first."

"But she wouldn't approach you if you didn't give her any chances, right?"

"How would I know what was on her mind?"

Just then, Sophia walked into the living room. Davin suddenly had an idea and decided to bring the matter to her.

"You can't blame me for this. It's all because of my parents' good genes. That's why I'm so handsome and attractive to women. Besides, you have to blame my ancestors for being so outstanding in the business field, giving me the chance to be born into a rich family. A man as handsome and rich as I am is always popular among women. Aren't you the same as them? You can love me because of these, but why can't other women?"

Sheila was at a loss for words; she did not know how to refute his remarks.

Sophia shot Davin a glance and chimed in, "Davin, I do agree that your dad and I have good genes. But how dare you say that you are wealthy? Go and have a look at your bank account, son. Hah! You're so poor, and yet you're trying to show off? You don't even have enough money for next month's expenses."

"Exactly!" Sheila agreed.

Davin was confounded.

How dare they laugh at me for being poor? Hmph! I still have my secret savings! Even if Sheila has something up her sleeves, I have my own plan as well! How dare she look down on me! However, I can't talk about my secret savings now. Otherwise, I can't protect them anymore. The most important thing now is to protect my money!

Davin knew that he would not be able to win in that argument especially when both Sophia and Sheila had ganged up to deride him. Therefore, he chose to remain silent.

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Chapter 1432 Matchmaking

Seeing that Davin had given up on the argument, Sheila thought that he was sad because of his poor financial status. Hence, she no longer said anything about it.

Just then, Maya walked out from the kitchen with two plates of fruits and desserts, both Zayden and Joy trailing behind her.

The kids stood by the table and looked fixedly at the food on it.

“Who wants to eat the biggest strawberry?” Zayden asked.

“As usual, let’s play rock-paper-scissors!” Joy replied.

Zayden nodded his head, and they both started playing.

In the end, Zayden won.

Getting a brainstorm, he placed the biggest strawberry on his plate and walked toward Sophia. “Grandma, I won this. It’s for you!”

Everyone was surprised that Zayden, who used to be a glutton, would hand over his food to Sophia.

“It’s okay, Zayden. You can have it,” Sophia replied with a smile.

“Grandma, just eat it. I want you to have it.”

“All right. I’ll eat it.” Looking at how filial Zayden was, she praised, “Good boy! Even though you’re young, you’re so thoughtful.”

Davin was surprised as well. “That’s my boy! After spending time with Joy, you have finally learned to respect the elderly. Good job!”

Zayden scratched his head shyly.

“Since you’re so considerate, I’ll take a bigger strawberry as a reward for you, okay, Zayden?” Maya chimed in.

Zayden nodded his head in exhilaration.

As Davin watched Maya walk to the kitchen, he suddenly thought of something. “Oh right, Mom. Didn’t you say that you want to introduce some guy to Maya? I have some suitable candidates here for her.”

“Who are they?”

“Aspen Gilbert from Gilbert Group, Matthew Lynch from Lynch Group, Wilbur Simpson from Simpson Group... All of them are successful youngsters and are about the same age as Maya. She can really consider them.”

Sophia pondered for a moment. "I have never heard about the others, except for Lambert Simpson's grandson, Wilbur Simpson. I heard that he is quite a capable young man. Maybe Maya can try to make friends with him first?"

"Mom, although you're old, you still have sharp senses, huh? According to the rumors, Wilbur has the style of Old Mr. Simpson whenever he talks and handles business affairs. He is indeed the best among young men. He should be the first choice for consideration."

"All right, then. You can tell Maya about it later."

However, Nicole had some concerns. "But Maya doesn't seem to be in the mood to find a boyfriend. I think it's not easy for her to take the initiative to make friends with young men."

"Don't worry, Nicole. Just leave it to me. We will let them meet first. Maybe Maya will fall in love with him at first sight? Who knows, right?"

"But I'm worried that she will refuse to meet him."

"Leave this to me. I will settle it. You guys don't have to worry about it."

Looking at how confident Davin was, Nicole thought that he had figured out how to persuade Maya to attend the date.

"Maya, I need a favor from you. Can you help me?"

"Uncle Davin, what is it about?"

"I need to meet an important business partner. Can you come with me?"

"Why do I need to follow you to a business meeting?" Maya asked.

"Because... on this kind of occasion, businessmen will normally bring a young and beautiful female assistant with them. But I don't have any of them, as your aunt Sheila will surely be unhappy about this. So, you're the most suitable person to follow me."

Maya looked at Davin suspiciously and hesitated for a while. Is that so?

Both Nicole and Sophia knew what Davin was planning. He was trying to trick Maya into going on a blind date. Sheila understood Davin's intention and persuaded, "Maya, can you go with Uncle Davin? Consider it a favor for me, please?"

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Chapter 1433 Change Of Attitude

Maya knew she couldn't refuse Davin and Sheila's offer, and she convinced herself that she could learn something by following Davin to the business meeting.

She nodded in response.

"Uncle Davin, when are we leaving?"

"Tomorrow. Remember to dress up since you'll be representing Seet Group. Do you understand?"

Maya nodded solemnly.

Nicole felt uneasy. Maya was an honest person, and Nicole couldn't imagine how she would react upon knowing that they were arranging a blind date for her instead.

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That night, Nicole asked Juan to pick Sally up for dinner.

Juan gave Sally a call beforehand. Thinking of this as the perfect opportunity to bond with the Seets, Sally dressed herself up nicely for dinner.

Before leaving, she received a phone call. Upon seeing the number, her heart skipped a beat. There was a dark look in her eyes as she answered the call.

"When will you make your move?"

"It's not that easy as I'll have to earn their trust before I can make any move."

"Sally, I heard that you and Juan have been getting closer. Are you having feelings for him?"

Juan? No way. He's not my cup of tea at all!

"Don't worry. I know what I have to do, and I know very well what I should be doing next."

"That's good to hear. I don't mean to rush things, but you know how sick Dad is, and his life is in your hands now."

Sally's expression grew solemn. "I know. I'll get this done as soon as possible."

"That's a relief."

After ending the call, Sally heaved a long sigh. Reminded of her father's illness, she knew she did not have much time left. It was a must for her to make a good impression at Imperial Garden that night.

Juan was waiting for her downstairs. She walked toward him in her light pink dress. He was a little dazed to see her dressed up this nicely.

She was attractive after putting in the effort to doll up, and there was something elegant in her aura. He couldn't help but wonder about her actual upbringing.

What's her true background?

Sally walked up to him with a smile. "I'm sorry for keeping you waiting."

"It's fine. I've waited for only ten minutes anyway. Let's go."

Sally was surprised at Juan's change of attitude. Judging from the look in his eyes, he didn't seem as wary of her as before. It seemed like she had made the right choice by helping Nicole and Bernian Hospital.

Soon, they arrived at Imperial Garden. Nicole had ordered the kitchen to prepare a delicious dinner for them. Upon seeing Sally, Nicole took her hand. "It's all thanks to you that Juan was able to find out the truth. Thank you so much."

"You're welcome, Mrs. Seet. I just did what I should have done," Sally answered humbly.

She lifted her head and accidentally met Kyle's gaze. In that split second, she felt that something was different in his dark and deep gaze.

Juan had already let his guard down against her, but she couldn't figure out the changes in Kyle's attitude.

"The dinner is ready. Let's chat over the meal."

"Sure."

They got up and headed toward the dining hall.

Sally slowed her pace and deliberately bumped into Kyle to strike up a conversation. "I'm sorry."

Kyle glanced at her and walked toward the dining hall without saying anything in response.

Sally could not wrap her head around the situation.

Why is Kyle suddenly being this icy with me? Shouldn't he treat me nicer after I helped Nicole and Bernian Hospital?

As Sally was still trying to figure things out, Juan was well aware of the reason for Kyle's change in attitude. Kyle was probably acting like this because Juan had sent him a text using Sally's phone.

The message stated that Sally was not interested in him because she was dating another hot guy. He figured Kyle was putting distance between them as a sign of respect after receiving the text.

That was for the best.

Juan was delighted that he had managed to stop Kyle from falling deeper for Sally.

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Chapter 1434 Caught Off Guard

"Why are you so clumsy? Come on. Let's go."

Sally glanced at Juan before nodding and following him to the dining hall.

Kyle put up a neutral expression at the dining table as he helped himself to the dishes. He would talk to Maya, but whenever Sally tried to strike up a conversation with him, he would then remain silent.

Maya said, "I spent two hours making this seafood chowder with the freshest ingredients you can get. Do you taste how fresh it is?"

Kyle replied, "I do! It's fresh and tasty."

Sally joined in by saying, "I find the chowder fresh too. I'm sure you chose the freshest seafood and mushrooms for this recipe."

Maya chuckled. "You should have more if you like it. I prepared this for you since you're coming."

Sally said, "I'm satisfied enough with this portion. Maybe you can give Kyle more."

Kyle did not respond to that at all, as if he hadn't even heard her talking.

Sally fell silent.

She felt foolish at having been ignored twice in a row.

Fortunately, Maya eased the situation by refilling the chowder for Kyle and Sally.

Juan was a sensitive person, and he noticed Sally's reaction toward Kyle. Could it be that Sally really has feelings for Kyle?

He glanced at Sally and suddenly realized he was annoyed with that idea.

Meanwhile, Nicole took in all their expressions and little actions at the dining table.

She had a rough idea of their relationships now. Sally seemed to care for Kyle, whereas Juan cared for Sally, although he didn't act like it. Kyle seemed calm but too calm, so there must be something he was trying to hide.

Kyle is probably trying to hide his feelings because he cares that much for her. I think things between these three will get interesting in the future.

After dinner, Sally looked at Kyle, who was sitting on the couch and flipping through his documents. She was still perplexed about this whole situation.

Everything had still been fine when they were doing charity work together in the hospital. Later on, when Kyle wanted to ask her something over the phone, Sally had thought of going to him, but Juan had knocked her unconscious, and she didn't get to see him.

Is he upset because of that? It's all because of Juan! What should I do then? I have to make Kyle fall for me for things to work out. Kyle is the one in charge of Seet Group now. He makes all of the decisions, and I'll have to win over Kyle if I want to gain control of Seet Group.

After thinking about it, Sally looked at her shoes and came up with a plan.

"Is Maya's bedroom upstairs? I have something to ask her."

"Yes. It's the second room on the left on the second floor."

"I'll look for her then."

Sally got up. She was walking past Kyle when her high heels suddenly snapped, and she lost her balance. With a loud cry of distress, she staggered and was about to fall.

Kyle was the nearest to her. He got up and caught Sally in his arms when her mind was still spinning.

Their gazes met. Sally stared right into Kyle's eyes and saw the panic as well as concern in his eyes.



At that moment, she was confident that Kyle still cared for her. It sent ripples across her heart, and she smiled faintly at him.

“Thank you,” she said shyly.

Kyle returned to his senses and quickly let go of her.

She steadied herself and suddenly started explaining, “I wanted to find you after you told me you wanted to ask me something. But Juan knocked me out, and I only regained my consciousness later that night.”

Kyle was a little taken aback to hear that.

Juan knocked her out? Didn't she send me a text message saying she's seeing someone hotter than me? D\*mn it! I guess Juan's gotten much better at pranking someone.

Juan was caught off guard when Sally suddenly revealed the truth.

F\*ck! I can't believe this woman ratted me out to mend things with Kyle. Fine! You win!

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Chapter 1435 The Truth

Juan glared at Sally.

Sally turned around and glanced at Juan. Why are you looking at me like that when all I did was tell the truth?

Kyle shifted his gaze from Sally to Juan, and he stared at his brother for a moment before heading upstairs without saying anything else.

He knew Sally was telling the truth just by looking at Juan's expression. There was a faint smile on his face when he turned around and strode off.

Sally was puzzled at Kyle's departure. Did he walk away just like that? Shouldn't he at least say something? It's so challenging to read him!

“I advise you to stop wasting your effort on Kyle. He doesn't care for you that much.” Juan glared at Sally as he walked over to her.

Sally turned around. "What does that have to do with you? It's none of your business."

"Of course it's my business! You're my girlfriend, and it doesn't reflect nicely on both of us for you to be flirting with another man."

Sally was startled to hear that. She sized Juan up. "This is just an act we're putting on. It would be best if you don't get too deep into your character. We can easily end things whenever we want to."

Juan froze for a second. "I still won't allow you to seduce Kyle. He deserves better than you!"

"I believe that's his decision to make instead of yours!"

Juan fell silent. Is she really trying to seduce Kyle? In her dreams! I will never allow that to happen!

After sending Sally off, Maya and Nicole sat on the brown couch and chatted over fruits.

Maya asked Nicole curiously, "Mommy, why do I feel like Sally cares more about Kyle than Juan?"

Nicole paused for a moment. "Perhaps it's genuine, or..." Or she has an agenda.

"Or what?"

Nicole took a bite of an apple as she pondered who would win a battle of wits between Sally and Kyle.

Sally was bold and great at using reverse psychology, whereas Kyle was meticulous and calm. They were both also incredibly intelligent.

But if two intelligent people were to fall in love, logic could no longer apply to their situation. People in love would normally act the exact opposite of their usual personalities and sometimes even behave impulsively.

Who would be the winner between the two then?

"Mommy, what's wrong? What are you thinking about?"

Nicole snapped out of her daze. "They're all adults now, and they can settle things on their own. We should be focusing on Bernian Hospital and your food plaza instead of worrying about them."

Maya gave it a thought. "You're right. We can't do much as outsiders too. Speaking of the food plaza, Mommy, things can be hectic with the weekend crowds. I'm thinking of expanding it once Daddy is back."

“Sure. Expand it if you want to. I’ll...” Nicole suddenly paused.

She wanted to say she would support Maya wholeheartedly even without Evan being physically here. However, she then recalled that she had already invested all her money into Bernian Hospital. Therefore, she couldn’t be of much help for the time being. Hence, she looked apologetically at Maya. “I’m afraid my hands are tied. Why don’t you wait for your dad to help you once he’s back?”

Maya nodded. “Sure! Mommy, now that Nina is at K Nation, do you think she’s looking for Chris?”

Upon hearing this topic, Nicole felt a migraine coming on.

If only Nina had listened to me and not sneaked her way to K Nation. If she found out that Chris is already dead... I don’t think she’ll be able to take the truth.

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Chapter 1436 Dressing Up

Nicole figured she should call Evan since he was also in K Nation. She wanted him to keep an eye on Nina so that Nina wouldn’t go looking for Chris.

With this in mind, Nicole stood up without hesitation and headed upstairs to call Evan.

“Nicole, what’s wrong?”

“Please keep an eye on Nina so that she won’t find out about Chris. I’m worried she’ll do something silly.”

“Don’t worry. I’ll make sure Nina doesn’t leave her grandfather’s side. She wouldn’t have the time to go out.”

“I still feel uneasy about this. Nina has always been a rebel. As for my father, why don’t you bring him back to Imperial Garden when it’s appropriate? We’ll then have the excuse to bring Nina back earlier too.”

“Sure. I’ll make the necessary arrangements for that to happen.”

They made some small talk about things at home, and Evan reminded Nicole to take care of her health before he asked about the kids.

It wasn’t until then that Nicole was reminded about Davin bringing Maya on a blind date with Wilbur the next day. After she ended the call, she headed to

Maya's bedroom and reminded her to dress up nicely for the occasion. She also reminded Maya to be more polite at the meeting.

Maya frowned. "Mommy, I'm just going to meet the client with Uncle Davin as his assistant. Why should I take this so seriously?"

Client? Are you really that oblivious to not see your uncle Davin's intention?

Nicole cleared her throat. "You're indeed going to the meeting as your uncle Davin's assistant, but they know your father and the fact that you're from Seet Group. Everything you say and do will represent the entire company. That's why you have to be more aware of your actions and demeanor."

Maya sighed. "Mommy, I finally understand how challenging it is to work as someone's assistant."

"I believe you're capable of doing this."

"You're right. I'll do my best to not embarrass Uncle Davin and Seet Group."

Nicole smiled faintly upon hearing that. I hope you'll meet your ideal man tomorrow, and I hope your love life won't be as complicated as Nina's.

The next day, Maya woke up early to dress up. She was applying makeup in front of her vanity desk. If Nina was here with me, she would be in charge of my makeup, and I won't have to spend a whole hour doing it myself.

After that, she changed into her favorite black suit. She looked at her reflection in the mirror and was satisfied with the career-woman look she had that day.

She gave herself a thumbs-up. "Maya, you're the brightest star in the career world. You can do this!"

After she made her way to the living room, Kyle and Juan looked strangely at her.

"Maya, why are you all dressed up?"

"I'm meeting a client with Uncle Davin later for an important project. Do I look like a strong, capable woman like this?"

Juan sized her up. "You look amazing!"

Maya turned around to look at Kyle. "What do you think?"

"You look smart enough to be a top assistant."

Maya was delighted to hear that. She was about to run off to find her mother when she abruptly heard Nicole's voice from behind her.

"Maya, why are you wearing that?"

"Mommy, do I look great in this? Do I look like a strong career woman?"

The outfit is excellent if you're meeting a client, but it's a little too formal for a blind date.

"Maya, let me pick you another outfit instead."

"Mommy, why should I change when I look great in this?"

"Just listen to me and follow me to your bedroom."

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Chapter 1437 A Blind Date

Kyle and Juan were confused. They did not understand why Nicole asked Maya to change her clothes out of the blue.

"Perhaps Mommy thinks that she'll look better in other clothes."

"Yeah."

Then, both of them headed to the dining room for breakfast.

Ten minutes later, Nicole came down from upstairs with Maya.

Kyle and Juan could not help but exchange glances upon seeing Maya.

Maya was wearing a sexy red tube-top dress, accentuating her alluring figure. An exquisite necklace with a pendant was hanging around her neck. Moreover, she was also wearing a watch, bracelet, and a pair of earrings. She looked exactly like an educated lady from an upper-class family.

"Mommy, why are you dressing her up like that? That's too elegant for her." Kyle was puzzled.

"Exactly! Maya's always been loud and carefree. Usually, she only wears her casual outfits. Since when did she have this dress? Don't tell me that it's from Nina." Juan sized Maya up. No matter how he looked at it, he still found her attire strange.

Nicole glanced at both of them. "All the girls dress up like this nowadays. It makes them look classier."

Maya felt a little uncomfortable too. "Mommy, I'm going to meet a business partner with Uncle Davin. Are you sure my attire is suitable for that?"

"Of course! If you don't believe me, you can ask your uncle again once he's here."

As Nicole finished her sentence, Davin's voice sounded from the door.

"Maya, I'm here to pick you up! Are you ready?"

Maya turned around. Davin strode to her as he examined her with his eyes full of astonishment. "Wow! Maya, you look as gorgeous as Nina after dressing up. Are you still that chubby girl I used to know? You're stunning!"

Despite the compliments, Maya did not look excited. "Uncle Davin, do you think this dress is suitable? I wanted to wear my formal outfit. I think that it'll be more appropriate since we're going to discuss a business project. It's a serious occasion, isn't it?"

"There's no need for that. This dress is perfect."

Juan turned to Davin and said, "Uncle Davin, she looks like she's going on a date. I think she should change into her business attire."

Davin remained silent. Juan, you're absolutely right! She's indeed going on a blind date! But why are you telling the truth in front of Maya? She'll definitely back out if she knows where we're going!

As expected, Maya looked down and examined herself. "Uncle Davin, are we really going to meet a business partner?"

"Of course! Why would I follow you if you're going on a blind date? It's inappropriate for me to go with you in that case, right?"

"Uncle Davin, you're a man who enjoys stirring the pot. Will you even consider whether it's appropriate?" Juan replied casually.

Davin was speechless. Seriously, Juan? Do you really have to ruin our plan?

Seeing that, Nicole immediately urged Juan and Kyle to leave for work.

After they left, Nicole cheered Maya on before sending her and Davin off.

Davin drove as he advised Maya, "Maya, we're going to discuss a valuable business project. Remember to act gentler after you see him later. If you change your mind in the middle of the discussion, or if you feel that there's something off with him, you should also reject him politely. Do you understand?"

Maya pondered for a moment before nodding. "Understood, Uncle Davin. We're representing Seet Group. I'll try my best to be courteous so that I won't embarrass Daddy and the company."

"That's great." Davin prayed silently, Even if the blind date isn't successful, I still hope that things will not get too ugly. The best-case scenario would be Maya and Wilbur liking each other, so they start dating. If things don't work out, I hope everything will end without Maya being any the wiser. I really hope that she won't kick up a fuss.

Not long after, Davin stopped his car at the entrance of Neon Hotel, the most luxurious hotel in Y City.

After getting off the car, Maya smoothed out her dress as she looked at Davin anxiously. "Uncle Davin, how do I look? I've never worked as an assistant before. I'm feeling a little nervous."

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Chapter 1438 Discussion

"There's nothing to be nervous about. You look great! Just relax."

Maya took a deep breath before following Davin into the hotel.

Wilbur was already waiting in the hotel in his custom-made suit. The moment he saw Davin and Maya, he immediately stood up.

The night before, his parents told him that Evan had two daughters. One of them was Nina Seet, an arrogant woman who did whatever she liked. Moreover, she had dated someone else in the past.

The one he was meeting today was Maya Seet. She was pure, innocent, and had never been in a relationship before. That was the reason why his parents asked him to seize the opportunity.

Wilbur fixated his gaze on Maya's face until she stopped in front of him. He flashed a smile and greeted them, "Mr. Seet, this must be Ms. Maya, right? She's gorgeous!"

Davin nodded. "Yes, this is Maya Lane, the little princess from Seet Group. She's also my personal assistant." He then introduced Wilbur to Maya, "Maya, this is Wilbur Simpson. He's a rising star in the business field. His capability is well-recognized. You guys should get to know each other more."

"Hello. I've long heard that Ms. Maya is beautiful and kind. It's my pleasure to meet you today. You're way more charming in person."

Maya was baffled as she stared at Wilbur's outstretched hand. That's new to me. I never knew that people should butter each other up before discussing a business project.

However, she was aware that she had to mind the reputation of Seet Group, so she reached out her hand to shake Wilbur's. "Hello. You're very outstanding too. I hope both of us will have a smooth negotiation later. I'm really looking forward to our cooperation."

Wilbur was stunned. Negotiation? Cooperation? What does she mean?

His parents thought that their family would benefit from his marriage with Maya. In fact, the Simpson family were more concerned about the business cooperation between the two families. Could it be that Maya and the Seet family have the same thought too?

Davin glanced at Maya. Silly girl! You're still thinking about the cooperation, huh? Love is the only cooperation that will be happening between Wilbur and you. Unfortunately, I can't explain anything to you. Otherwise, this blind date is going to end now.

He cleared his throat, trying to change the subject. "All right. We should stop standing here. Let's take a seat."

After they were seated, Davin brought up the topic about the past collaborations between Seet Group and Simpson Group on purpose. Wilbur mentioned that the cooperations with Seet Group were pleasant. He also hoped that they could work together again in the future. Then, Davin talked about the problems they had faced during the business cooperations. Wilbur answered all of his questions patiently.

Maya listened to their conversation from the side. She did not know anything about the business projects between Seet Group and Simpson Group, so she had nothing to say about those. She could only listen to them silently with a faint smile.

Fifteen minutes later, Davin's phone rang. After answering the call, he dismissed himself temporarily so that Maya and Wilbur could have some private time.

Maya had no idea what she should do next. She looked at Wilbur and grinned foolishly. "Uncle Davin will come back after settling his work. You guys can continue the discussion later."

Wilbur frowned. "You're the one who should be involved in our discussion today."

Huh? Although I'm here as an assistant, Uncle David told me that I didn't have to go through the project. He said I didn't need to know anything before coming. Why is Wilbur asking me to join the discussion now? I have no idea what to say!



"B-But I don't know how to discuss that with you. I think you should wait for Uncle Davin," Maya replied sincerely.

Wilbur pondered for a moment. The more he thought about it, the more something did not seem right. He did not reveal anything in front of Maya. Instead, he headed to the washroom and gave Davin a call.

"The truth is, Wilbur, Maya doesn't believe that she'll meet a suitable partner. For some reason, she's reluctant to start a relationship with any man. Since you've already found out the truth now, then I'll be honest with you. She doesn't know that I brought her there for a blind date. You can just try chit-chatting with her. If you think that she's suitable for you, you should make the first move to pursue her. But, if you think she's not the one for you, we can't force things, right?"

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Chapter 1439 Pure And Innocent

Hearing that, Wilbur finally came to a realization. No wonder Maya's acting so strange.

"Okay, Mr. Seet. I know what to do now."

"All right. I'll pick her up in half an hour. You guys can have a chat in the meantime."

"Sure!"

After going back to the private room, Wilbur sat down in front of Maya and studied her carefully. She has a fair and exquisite face. Her features are so similar to her mother's.

The more he examined Maya, the more he was mesmerized by her beauty. Unconsciously, a smile appeared on his face.

Perceiving his gaze, Maya instantly put her guard up. Why does he look so lecherous? Could it be that he's a pervert?

At that thought, she immediately straightened her posture. "I wonder when Uncle Davin is coming back. I should give him a call."

"There's no need for that. I contacted him just now, and he said he'll be back in half an hour. Here, try this coconut juice. It's very good and refreshing."

Half an hour? I guess nothing will happen in such a short time, right? After all, Wilbur's working together with Seet Group. He should know how powerful Seet Group is. I guess he won't have the guts to do anything to me.

Maya calmed down after thinking that through. She picked up the glass of coconut juice, sipping from it slowly. Then, she put the glass back onto the table politely. "It's good."

"I heard that the business in your food plaza is flourishing. I'm thinking of visiting it soon. I wonder if I will get a discount?"

Maya sized Wilbur up. He's the scion of the Simpson family. Why should he care about that few hundred bucks? Wait a minute. Is he trying to build a rapport with me?

She shook her head instantly. "No. The discounts in my food plaza are only applicable for beautiful ladies, not for men!"

"Why? Is there any difference between men and women?"

"Of course there is! Although we promote gender equality in the current society, men have more career opportunities than women. According to the statistics, there are more rich men than women. So, I think that women need the benefits, but men do not!"

Her mindset is a little weird, but she's not wrong. Wilbur continued asking, "Then, can your friends get any discounts?"

"Are we friends?" Maya asked innocently.

Wilbur smiled. "Do you want to be friends with me?"

Maya shook her head. "No!"

Wilbur frowned. "Why? Am I not worthy enough to be your friend?"

Maya thought for a second and shook her head. "Because I don't want to be friends with men!"

Wilbur was surprised by her answer. He looked at her curiously and probed further, "What about a boyfriend? Your future boyfriend will also be a man."

"I don't need a boyfriend."

Wilbur immediately recalled what his mother said last night. He finally understood why she would say that Maya was a pure and innocent woman. It seems like it's not that easy to win her heart. However, I do like a challenge.

For example, a few days ago, the board members of Simpson Group said that he would never make Marston Group work with him. However, he refused to give up. After much perseverance and determination, he finally succeeded.

As for women, he had met a few socialites in the past. They had always tried everything they could to win his heart. However, he had never met a woman like Maya. He was more than eager to accept the challenge of becoming her boyfriend.

“Then, what if there’s a collaboration between us? Are you okay if your partner is a man?”

Maya mulled it over for a moment. There’s a difference between work partners and other personal relationships. I guess that should be fine since we’ll only talk about work.

She nodded hesitantly. Suddenly, she lifted her head as if she had recalled something. “I’m just accompanying my uncle here. I don’t know much about the projects, so you should discuss with him about that.”

“I’m not talking about the projects with Seet Group. I’m talking about a collaboration with your food plaza.”

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Maya frowned. “What kind of collaboration do you want?”

“Where do you purchase the ingredients needed for your food plaza? Simpson Group has hundreds of chain bakeries. We also have our personal source for ingredients. If we can supply you with better quality ingredients, will you consider working together with me?”

That’s great. My food plaza needs better ingredients too! After pondering for a moment, Maya nodded.

“Great! We should exchange numbers. Then it’ll be easier for us to contact each other.”

“Sure!”

While they were exchanging their numbers, Davin knocked on the door and walked into the room. He was surprised to witness that scene. Wilbur is really

something! How did he persuade Maya to give him her number? It seems like something's going on between them!

"Uncle Davin, you're back."

"Maya, I've settled everything. Let's go back now."

"Mr. Seet, do you want to have lunch together? My treat," Wilbur invited.

Davin turned to look at Maya. Maya said that she was going to the food plaza, so she asked Davin to go with Wilbur.

What's the point of us having lunch without Maya? After all, I'm not the person Wilbur wants to treat a meal. Davin rejected, "How about next time? I have to send Maya to the food plaza now. I'll talk to you later."

During their way back, Maya asked Davin curiously, "Uncle Davin, wasn't your discussion with Wilbur too simple? Did you guys agree on a project with just a few sentences? It seemed like my presence was unnecessary."

Why would your presence be unnecessary? You were the star! Davin cleared his throat and lied with a solemn expression, "We'll have another discussion after this. Our negotiations did not go well just now because I had to leave partway."

"I see. Uncle Davin, do you know? Wilbur really is a good businessman. After you left, he mentioned that he wanted to collaborate with me and my food plaza. I wonder how's their food quality. Do they monitor their sources strictly?"

Davin glanced at Maya. What a silly girl. Do you think Wilbur is interested in the food plaza? You're the one he's targeting! The business project means nothing to him. He's more interested in the "project" to spend the rest of his life with you! I have to admit, though, Wilbur is quite good at handling the situation. He knows to get close to Maya through business collaboration. That's a great strategy!

"Maya, don't you worry. Simpson Group is a trustworthy and legitimate company. You can go ahead with the collaboration."

Maya nodded. "All right, Uncle Davin."

Davin's lips curled into a smile. Silly girl, I hope you guys can be together soon!

After dropping Maya off at the food plaza, Davin drove back to Imperial Garden. Knowing that Maya had decided to keep in contact with Wilbur, Nicole felt excited and worried at the same time.

"Nicole, everything's going well. It seems like Maya's going to start her first romantic relationship before she even realizes it."

"Maya is an innocent girl. I'm so worried about her..."

"Don't worry, Nicole. I believe that Wilbur will treat Maya well. Either way, I'll get someone to keep an eye on him. Relax, I'll have everything taken care of."

"That's great. Thanks for everything."

"You don't have to thank me. Maya is my niece. I'm just doing what I should."  
Then, Davin began to ask Nicole about Stephen's condition. He also wondered when Evan would come back.

"My dad's condition isn't that serious now. He just needs more rest. I think Evan will come back within these few days."

"Once he's back, you can ask him about his opinion on Wilbur."

"All right. I will!"

After Davin left, Nicole drove to Bernian Hospital and started her work.

Meanwhile, Nina, who had just arrived in the estate, stood still in the courtyard. She trembled in fear upon hearing Evan's interrogation.

"Where did you go?"

"Daddy, Grandpa said that he was craving peaches, so I went out to get some for him."

"What took you so long? You were out since this morning. Don't we have maids in the estate? Why did you have to get the peaches on your own?"