

Mistaking the CEO for a Gigolo Chapter 1406

Chapter 1406 Unexpected Turn Of Events

“Where’s Ms. Lane? Bring her here to treat my wife. Hurry!”

“I’m here!” Nicole replied loud and firm.

She marched forward and examined the woman. “What happened to her?”

The man locked his gaze on Nicole, scrutinizing her. “You’re Ms. Lane?”

“Yes. What disease did your wife catch?”

“I don’t know. This occurred to her out of the blue. Ms. Lane, I’ve heard that you’re a superb doctor. Please save my wife!”

“Don’t worry. I’ll attend to her right away.”

Nicole took the pulse of the woman and discovered that it was abnormal. Looking at the woman’s ashen face, she reckoned that her pulse should be weak. Surprisingly, it was vigorous. Contrary to her appearance, it was indeed anomalous.

She realized that the patient was not ill, but poisoned at that.

“We have to detoxify your wife.”

“Detoxify? Are you saying that my wife is poisoned?”

“That’s right. It’s a detrimental poison. Hence, we have to treat her immediately, or else she’ll be in grave danger.”

The man was still dubious about her elucidation. “Ms. Lane, you should examine her carefully. I don’t think she’s poisoned because she has been with me for the whole day. Instead, I think she’s struck with an acute disease. She’s sick.”

“Who’s the doctor here? We’re running out of time. Thus, we need to arrange a procedure to detoxify your wife as soon as possible.”

“Ms. Lane. Are you implying that you can cure her?”

“I’ll try my best. Now should be the golden time for detoxification. If the treatment is executed correctly, I believe that your wife will recover.”

“Fine. I’ll trust you.”

A vague gloominess showed in the man’s eyes as he placed his trust upon Nicole. Then, he left his wife to Nicole and headed out of the room.

Very soon, Nicole started performing acupuncture on the woman. With her comprehensive knowledge, Nicole inserted the gleaming long silver needles one by one into the woman’s major acupoints expertly.

After the extensive treatment, Nicole could perceive that the woman’s pulse was not extravagant as before. As the pulse had finally abated to normality, Nicole heaved a sigh of relief.

“Prescribe her some medicines and keep an eye on her condition. If anything abnormal happens, report to me immediately.”

“Yes, Ms. Lane.”

Nicole wrote down the medicines required and passed the note to the doctor. Only then did she walk out of the consultation room.

“Your wife’s condition has stabilized. Now, she needs an IV drip. She’ll recover tomorrow or the day after.”

“Thank you, Ms. Lane.”

Nicole nodded and turned to walk away. Behind her back, the man’s gaze secretly turned ominous.

Recover? That won’t happen. She will never recover from it.

Two hours later, Nicole suddenly heard a knock on the door to her office. The doctor entered and looked at her anxiously. “Bad news. The woman that you treated just now, s-she...”

“What happened to her?”

“She suddenly stopped breathing. Her husband is raising a ruckus now and demanding an explanation from you.”

Suddenly stopped breathing? How could this happen?

Nicole’s heart instantly dropped. Quickly, she stood up and rushed to the room earlier. During that brief moment, many thoughts flashed across her mind.

Why did she suddenly pass away? Was there a problem with my acupuncture? That’s impossible. After the acupuncture, her condition had stabilized. Her condition shouldn’t make such a sudden quick turn. Is it the medicine’s fault? No way. I had written the list of appropriate medicines on the note before I passed it to the doctor, and I’m confident that the medicines were prescribed correctly. That should not be the problem. What went wrong then?

After pondering for long, she could not fathom the underlying reason, leaving her distraught, and even her pace was disordered.

Chapter 1407 A Quack Doctor

When she arrived outside the ward, the patient’s husband started roaring at her.

“It’s your fault! You have caused the death of my wife! Your medical skills are nothing to brag about! In fact, I think you are a quack doctor! Because of you, my wife has lost her life! Give me back my wife! You quack doctor!”

The ruckus had attracted the attention of other patients, and they started to crowd around.

“What’s going on?”

“I’m not sure. He said Ms. Lane is a quack doctor and caused his wife’s death.”

“How can Ms. Lane be a quack? She is obviously a miracle doctor.”

“No matter how good she is, there will be times when she makes mistakes, too. Perhaps...”

“What are you gibbering about? How can you not have trust in Ms. Lane’s skills? If you don’t, then what are you doing in Bernian Hospital?”

“There’s no need to attack me so soon. I did not say I don’t trust her. I believe in her, just like you do. But it doesn’t mean she will not make any mistakes. It’s an entirely different matter! In fact, it’s normal to make mistakes, and it’s completely understandable.”

His pertinent speech caused everyone around to waver. There was no way they would believe that Nicole would harm someone on purpose. However, making an error in her judgment was quite plausible.

“What kind of person are you? I’m sure Ms. Lane really wanted to save your wife. Even if she has made a mistake, it wouldn’t be intentional. You can’t—”

“Her mistake wasn’t on purpose? But it cost my wife her life! It’s a life we are talking about. I want justice for my wife!” The man was getting very agitated and upset.

Sensing that she was about to be blamed, Nicole quickly explained herself, “I did not misdiagnose. Your wife was indeed being poisoned. After I performed acupuncture on her, her symptoms were alleviated. As for why she stopped breathing, we will have to perform a thorough check to find out the reason.”

“A check? What for? The only reason why you want to perform a check is to exonerate yourself of any responsibilities. You will surely claim that my wife has contracted some sudden illness and passed away as a result of it.”

“I won’t do that! I will reveal the facts!” said Nicole in a serious manner.

“Of course you will say that! My wife’s death is on your hands. I won’t believe you!”

“So, what do you want?”

“I want to lodge a police report! I want an autopsy done!”

Everyone was speechless.

All the other patients started speculating and gossiping when they heard the man’s demands.

“Ms. Lane, since he is so adamant, go ahead with the autopsy. We have faith in you!”

“That’s right. There’s nothing to worry about if your conscience is clear. Justice will prevail!”

“Yes, Ms. Lane. Let the coroner perform the autopsy. We believe you!”

When the other patients proclaimed their trust in her, Nicole was very touched. At that moment, she believed that she had nothing to worry about as well.

“Fine. Make a report and get an autopsy done.”

When Nicole agreed to his conditions, a smug smile flashed across the man's face. Once the report is out and with the help of the public opinion, there will be no way for Nicole and Bernian Hospital to get out of this mess!

The coroner arrived in no time and began to perform an autopsy to find out the cause of death of the woman.

As he was doing his check, he asked Nicole questions along the way. It turned out that there was nothing wrong with Nicole's treatment methods at all.

"Then what's going on? What happened to her?"

"Not to worry. There are still a few more tests to be done. The result will be out very soon."

After a lengthy wait of two hours, they had finally reached a conclusion.

It turned out that there were issues with the medication used in Bernian Hospital. All the medications that had been used turned out to be fake.

The outcome of the autopsy shocked all the patients to the core. Even Nicole was stunned and found it hard to believe. Her expression darkened.

"How is that possible? The medications have been acquired through strict means. How could they be fake?"

Chapter 1408 Set Up

"Ms. Lane, it's true. If you have doubts, you can get other organizations to check again!"

The moment those words were out, the deceased's husband yelled at Nicole, "Great! Turns out that it was fake medications that caused my wife's death! Ms. Lane, no wonder you have been so kind to offer free consultations for the patients. You have been using poor-quality medications! You have no respect for human lives! Purchasing inferior drugs must have cost you minimal funds. Maybe they cost you nothing at all. Yet, you have earned such a wonderful reputation as a kind doctor. This is indeed a smart move of yours! How 'kind' of you!"

His words caused an uproar among the other patients.

"Fake medications? How could that be? Why would Ms. Lane purchase fake medications?"

"That's right. Ms. Lane isn't this kind of person. She has always been a caring and concerned doctor. How is this possible?"

"Her care and concern is just a ploy to gain a name for herself! If she hasn't been nice to all of you, will all of you have defended her? Will all of you have come to Bernian Hospital? You are here because of her good reputation, right?"

"Um..."

"But Ms. Lane is indeed a skillful doctor. She has cured many patients!"

“Cured? All of you are too naive. These fully recovered patients could have been arranged by her. You will never know. Furthermore, she has utilized fake medications for patients. Perhaps their recovery was only temporary. Once they have been discharged, they could have dropped dead afterward!”

“You slanderer! The patients that I have cured left the hospital in good health. None of them have died after being discharged.”

“Ms. Lane, there’s no need to get emotional. It’s fine if you refuse to admit it. Your usage of fake drugs has caused my wife’s death. Why don’t we check the medicine in your storage to see if you have given other patients fake medications as well?”

“Check for fake medications? W-Will it turn out to be real?”

“Stop talking nonsense. We believe Ms. Lane. She will never purchase fake medications.”

“But if it’s true, then everyone will be in danger...”

The fervent discussion started again.

“What’s wrong, Ms. Lane? Are you afraid of something?”

Nicole eyed the arrogant man who had just lost his wife, and she recalled the incident where the deceased had been poisoned. An unimaginable thought crossed her mind.

Could it be that this man has caused his wife’s death, and he’s trying to frame it on me instead? He must have something to do with the fake medications!

Looking at his haughty and confident expression when he wanted the medication storage to be examined, she was pretty sure he must have done something.

Looks like this person is targeting me and finding fault with Bernian Hospital on purpose!

“I think we should seal the medication room for the time being. No one is allowed to enter!”

“What’s wrong? Are you afraid to get caught? Feeling guilty?”

“No. Before we verify the authenticity of the medicine in the storage room, I want the entire storage room to be scanned for fingerprints like how it is done at a crime scene. Other than the people in charge of the medicine storage room, I want to find out who else has been inside. For all we know, someone may have gone in and tampered with the medicine in order to frame Bernian Hospital!”

At that juncture, Nicole stared at the man before her and asked, “I am particularly curious. How did your wife get poisoned? Did you do that to her so that you could use this opportunity to find fault with my hospital and set us up with fake medications?”

“Exactly. What would a healthy person be poisoned out of the blue?”

“I find it strange as well. Logically, if his wife has just passed away, he should be very upset. But look at him. There is barely an ounce of sadness on his face. It’s as if a stranger has just died. As for him, he’s behaving like a mad dog.”

Chapter 1409 Looking For Evidence

The man was dumbfounded for a moment.

When the rest of the patients started to suspect him as Nicole did, he began to defend himself.

"I have no idea how my wife was poisoned. I believed in Ms. Lane's medical skills, and that's why I came to Bernian Hospital. I did not expect my wife to die because of fake medications. Instead, Ms. Lane now tries to accuse me of killing my own wife. This is completely unacceptable! Ms. Lane, you cannot simply accuse me like this!"

"That's true. When he first came, he specifically requested for Ms. Lane to attend to his wife."

"It looks like we can only rely on the evidence to determine the truth."

The law enforcement officers, who were present, witnessed the dispute and immediately sealed the medication room off. As for the deceased, they stored her body in the mortuary box for further investigation later on.

Very soon, the news of Bernian Hospital using fake medication for its patients and the consequential death had become the hottest trending topic on the internet. It spread like wildfire.

When Kyle and Juan found out about the news, they got to Bernian Hospital right away.

"Mommy, what's going on?"

"Someone is trying to set me and Bernian Hospital up. The coroner has detected fake medication in the deceased's body. I'm worried that someone is trying to get at me and the hospital."

"Fake medication? Who is the person in charge of purchasing the medicine?"

"Nick is in charge of purchasing, but it cannot be him. Every purchase, including the invoices, has to go through me. I doubt he has anything to do with this incident."

"So, that means that somebody else has tampered with the medicine? Is there a mole in our hospital, or did someone sneak into our hospital to sabotage us?"

The moment Juan finished talking, a person's name appeared in his mind. His eyes shone. "Could it be her?"

"Who?"

"Who is it?"

Both Kyle and Nicole looked at Juan expectantly. "Sally!" Juan replied.

"Sally?" Nicole frowned.

Kyle's face darkened as well. Could it be her?

Sally's beautiful and seductive face popped up in his mind. Then, he recalled the question that she had asked him.

"Will you blame me if I have no choice but to do something harmful to the Seet family one day?"

Suspicion began to form in Kyle's mind.

Could it really be her doing? But why would she want to frame our hospital and Mommy?

"I don't think it's Sally!" proclaimed Nicole.

"Mommy, why do you think so? That woman is so good at acting. You mustn't be fooled by her!" With that, Juan asked Kyle, "What do you think? You have interacted with her before. Do you think it could be her?"

Kyle's eyes narrowed. Evidence will be the fairest judge.

"We will know once the investigation has been completed."

After hearing what Kyle had said, Juan fell into deep thought.

Investigation? Kyle wants to investigate? In front of Kyle, that woman acts like a cute and innocent girl. In the past, Kyle has even mentioned that she has a heart of gold. Perhaps Kyle has fallen for her charms. If so, will Kyle lose his senses and be used by that vixen to hurt Mommy, the hospital, and even the Seet family? Women are the best liars, especially the beautiful ones. They are capable of making use of people and also sweeping men off their feet. What if Kyle really...

At that thought, Juan became flustered. No, I cannot watch Kyle being made use of. Hence, it's better if I am the one to investigate this incident.

"You're right. We should only make a conclusion after a thorough investigation. You handle Seet Group. Let me handle this matter!" said Juan.

Kyle pondered on it, but before he could respond, he saw Evan, Maya, and Nina arriving at the hospital in a hurry.

"Mommy, what exactly is going on? We saw the news on the internet and rushed here immediately! Is everything true?"

Chapter 1410 Get It Done

"Why would there be fake medicine in the hospital? Did someone do this on purpose to get you and the hospital into trouble?"

Once Maya and Nina were done with their questions, Evan walked up to Nicole. Without asking anything, he placed both his hands on her shoulders and reassured her, "Don't worry about it. I'm here now! Let me handle this for you!"

As Nicole looked at the man before her, warmth welled up in her heart. To her, Evan was her pillar of strength. He was someone whom she could always rely on.

"Evan, I know this matter is child's play to you, and I have no doubts that you can settle this with ease. However, there is something more important that I need you to deal with. So, please don't get involved in this. Let Kyle and Juan do their investigation."

"What is it?" asked Evan curiously.

"I received a call from K Nation. My dad has fallen ill and is in the midst of receiving treatment. But the prognosis is not good. I have promised to go over. Unfortunately, it isn't possible right now given the situation we have here. Will you be willing to go there in my stead and look after my dad?"

During a challenging time like that, he did not feel comfortable leaving Nicole behind and going to K Nation. "But, you—"

"Don't worry about me. I have Juan, Kyle, Nina, and Maya here with me. Nothing will happen to me. Besides, I believe that the truth will reveal itself eventually."

"Mommy, why don't I take care of Grandpa and let Daddy stay here?" suggested Maya.

"No. I feel more at ease if Daddy is the one going there on my behalf!" Nicole was very insistent about her decision.

Evan thought about it and agreed. It's a good opportunity to put Juan and Kyle's ability to the test. If they cannot settle this issue, I can easily resolve it with a phone call even though I will be miles away.

In short, as long as he wished to, the matter was still within his control.

Furthermore, if his presence in K Nation could put Nicole at ease, he would gladly do so.

"All right, then. I'll go!"

"Daddy, do you want me to go with you?" Nina offered.

She had always wanted to know how Chris was getting on after he got married. Does he fight with Felicia often? Is he having a miserable life? Since Chris had dumped her for Felicia, Nina felt that it would serve him right if he was living a miserable life.

A trip to K Nation would enable her to find out more about his current life.

As for Mommy, she has Juan, Kyle, and Maya with her, not to mention my uncles and aunts. They won't allow her to be bullied. Moreover, Mommy has been framed. I'm pretty confident that Juan and Kyle will be able to find out the truth.

When Nicole heard Nina's suggestion, she glanced at Evan while Evan kept quiet. He was worried that the reason Nina wanted to go to K Nation was not only because of her grandfather's illness, but she was still thinking of Chris.

It had taken Nina quite some time before she recovered from her heartbreak. If she were to find out the actual situation about Chris, Evan knew it would be a huge blow to her.

As such, Evan wanted Nina to stay on.

"Nina, I think it's best for you to stay here and look after your mother. This way, I will feel better."

"Maya can take care of Mommy. There are so many people who can look after Mommy. They'll be fine without me."

"But you are your mommy's daughter. You are the apple of her eye. You should stay here."

“Mommy is Grandpa’s daughter too. At a time like this, I’m sure Mommy wants to be there for him. If I go, I am also helping her! Mommy, what do you think?”

Nicole was in a dilemma. She had the same concern as Evan. In the end, she made the decision and asked Nina to stay on with her.

Why are they trying to stop me from going to K Nation? Why? Are they worried that I will see Chris again? All I want to do is to see him get his retribution. That’s all! Since Daddy and Mommy won’t allow me to go, I will pretend to obey them first. Later on, I will find a way and go there on my own.

“I understand, Daddy. I will stay here with Mommy.”

“Good! Juan, Kyle, I’ll let you guys handle this matter. I don’t care how you plan to do your investigation. I only have one request, and you two must get it done!”

Chapter 1411 The Primary Suspect

“What is it?”

“Please tell us!”

The duo looked at Evan in anticipation while the latter gazed at Nicole affectionately. “Take good care of her. You cannot allow her to get hurt at all!”

After hearing their father’s determined tone, the two children exchanged glances and promised, “Please don’t worry about it. We’ll definitely take good care of Mommy!”

“That’s right. If you see her getting hurt at all, you can punish us as you like!”

After hearing their guarantee, Evan nodded. “Okay, I won’t forget about this. This task will be handed over to you two, then.”

“Don’t worry. We’ll find out the person who set up Bernian Hospital, and we’ll make them pay.” While saying that, Juan already had a suspect in mind—Sally.

Therefore, he decided to start the investigation with her as the primary suspect.

That afternoon, Evan embarked on his journey to K Nation. After he departed, Juan told Kyle seriously, “We should ensure nothing goes disarray with Seet Group. Therefore, let’s divide the tasks. You’ll be in charge of Seet Group’s daily operations, while I’ll investigate this issue. Is that okay?”

Upon hearing that, Kyle narrowed his eyes. There’s no problem for me to be in charge of Seet Group. However, I can’t sit back and do nothing about this issue.

“What about it? Speak up.”

“Let’s investigate separately,” Kyle answered.

Juan was taken aback for a moment. Kyle, do you need to get involved in this? Aren’t you afraid of getting used? I’m seriously worried about your intentions to investigate this issue. Is it because of Mommy or the kind-hearted woman Sally portrayed to be? If it’s really because of Sally, you’ll definitely get stuck in her trap!

A hint of worry flashed across Juan's face. No way. I'll definitely need to find out the truth as quickly as possible. Even if the investigation winds up in a dead end, I'll need to keep a close eye on Sally. That way, she'll never get a chance to fool Kyle! Sally, just wait and see!

Walking to the garage, Juan immediately phoned Sally.

"Where are you right now?"

"I'm at home. Why?"

"What are you doing at home? Let me guess. Are you having fun watching the drama unfold?" he asked.

At that, Sally furrowed her eyebrows and understood the meaning behind his words.

"I've just gotten to know the issue about Bernian Hospital from the trending topics. Although I'm your fake girlfriend, I don't think it's fun to witness this. Besides, your mother treated me kindly when I met with her. There's no way I would want something like this to happen to her."

Juan scoffed inwardly. She wouldn't want this to happen? What a lie!

"Sally, I'm not Kyle, so you don't need to act so innocently in front of me. I know you're just a sly fox with various intentions to approach the Seet family. One of them is to strike against Mommy and Bernian Hospital. Am I right?"

"That's not true!" the woman answered immediately.

However, Juan didn't buy it.

"So you're saying it's not true? As your 'boyfriend,' I do find a need to prove your innocence. How about I come and find you right now?"

"You're just a fake. If we announce our breakup, we can go on our separate ways. Thus, I won't need your help in proving my innocence. Although I'm not an official suspect, I'll help to investigate this as a way to clear my name."

Sally speculated that Kyle would also suspect her if Juan did. She did not care if the latter misunderstood her, but she did not want Kyle to do so as well.

Juan didn't believe her words at all. I bet she just wants to tamper with the evidence!

"There's no need for such formalities. I'll definitely help you out if I can. I'm going over to your area, so wait for me!" After saying the words that seemed to have a deeper meaning behind them, Juan hung up the call.

Chapter 1412 Suspecting Sally

Staring at the dimmed screen of her phone, Sally fell silent.

Juan was somewhat correct, for she indeed plotted against the Seet family. However, the incident happened before she could strike. Therefore, she was also curious about the culprit.

Immediately, she whipped out her phone and dialed a number.

“Help me find out the person targeting Bernian Hospital.”

“Sure!”

After hanging up the call, Sally gulped down a glass of water and changed her outfit. While waiting for Juan to arrive, she scanned through some information.

Since he highly suspected her, there was no way he would let her off the hook easily. I wonder what he’s planning against me?

Fifteen minutes later, Juan finally arrived at her place. After confirming her floor number, he rushed there immediately.

Hearing the hasty footsteps echoing in the hallway, Sally stood up and opened the door calmly.

Outside the door, Juan was sizing her up. Seeing how unfriendly his gaze was, Sally spoke. “Oh my! I didn’t expect you to arrive so quickly.”

Without answering, Juan stepped into her house and scanned through it. Looking at the small and blandly decorated living room, he wondered if she really lived there. Or did she show up here to put on an act?

The living room’s decoration was utterly shabby in Juan’s eyes. There was only a simple but old-fashioned sofa, a few utensils sitting on the average-sized wooden table, and a few lively plants. There was nothing else other than that.

The only aspect that deserved praise was how spotless it was, and even the floors were sparkling clean.

“My place is a bit run down. It’s probably even worse than the maid’s room in Imperial Garden, huh?”

Juan averted his gaze toward her. “How long have you been living here?”

“Two years. I rented it for the first year and only bought it in the second year.”

“Where did you stay before this?”

“I stayed with the old woman who adopted me.”

Furrowing his eyebrows, Juan stared her up and down. “Do you mind telling me the address?”

“Let me guess. You’re going to investigate me?”

“Why can’t you tell me? What are you hiding?” The man locked eyes with her.

Sally shot him a small smile. “If that’s what you think, you can go on and investigate it yourself.”

Juan glared at her. Duh! I’ve done it ages ago without needing you to tell me. However, it’s like you’ve popped out of nowhere. There’s zero information about you! Besides, if I had managed to find out your identity, you wouldn’t be standing here right now.

“I don’t have time to investigate you. The only thing I want to know is if you’re involved with the scandal of Bernian Hospital selling fake drugs?”

“I’m not. I already told you about this!”

“Although you deny it, you were seen going to Bernian Hospital to help out without any reason. People are going to think that it’s an excuse for you to do something else, for example, switching out the real drugs.”

“Do they have evidence to suspect me? It’s defamation if they don’t!”

In Juan’s eyes, Sally’s way of denying and creating excuses was exactly as his expectations. She should get a prize for her amazing acting skills.

Pondering for a while, he answered, “If you don’t want to get suspected, you can prove your innocence to them. I bet you want to do this badly, right? I can help you with that.”

“How?”

“Follow me!”

“Where are we going?” Sally looked at him curiously.

“There’s no need to ask so many questions. Just follow me.”

Twenty minutes later, Juan brought her to the fingerprint scanner. Before, his mother suspected someone had sneaked fake drugs into the medication room. Now that the room was closed off, professionals would soon arrive to cross-check on the fingerprints left behind. Since Sally was one of the suspects, it was best to collect her fingerprints right now. That way, her fingerprints might match the ones found in the room.

Chapter 1413 The Investigation

Sally stared at the finger from which the fingerprint had been collected. Although she understood Juan’s intentions, she was innocent and had nothing to fear. Therefore, she did not take it to heart.

“Is this enough to prove my innocence?”

Juan nodded.

Staring into Sally’s eyes, he tried hard to capture something from her. However, she had remained calm for the entire period, showing no guilt or panic.

Does she really have nothing to do with this? Or perhaps she did not act personally and only gave orders behind the scenes. Thus, she had nothing to worry about me collecting her fingerprints.

While Juan stared straight at Sally, the latter suddenly started to give her opinion about that issue. “I think you can start to investigate this issue from different aspects. Firstly, you should look into the man that demanded your mother to treat his wife. Someone must be giving him orders for him to accuse her so confidently. Next, list down your mother’s and Seet Group’s enemies. That way, you can eliminate the ones with the slightest possibility and conduct a thorough check on those with the highest suspicion. Next, the deceased was poisoned to death. However, how did she get poisoned? What’s the type of poison, and who poisoned her? If you can manage to get the evidence, it can be served as a new clue.”

While listening to Sally’s explanation, Juan agreed with it as well.

However, it was known that the man that ordered his mother to treat his wife was stubborn. He was adamant that his wife was killed by fake drugs and would not believe in any other possibilities.

Listening to Sally's idea, Juan wondered just how perfect her plan was for her to be so confident.

After all, Sally was also one of the suspects. Although he was unsure if she was holding a grudge against the Seets, he could confirm that she had a motive for nearing his family. Therefore, there was a high possibility she was the perpetrator behind that scandal.

After some thought, he was still unable to rule her out.

However, the third point she pointed out seemed doable. He might find out something by tracing down how the woman was poisoned.

"I'll definitely investigate about this carefully and make the culprit that set up Mommy and Bernian Hospital pay!" Juan gritted his teeth.

Upon hearing that, Sally added, "That's right. You have to make the culprit pay a hefty price for setting your mother up. Even better if you can torture the culprit slowly to take revenge."

After hearing her righteous words, Juan was again confused if she was involved in the scandal. Maybe she's just doing it on purpose?

Just when Juan planned to leave, Sally's phone suddenly rang.

"Mr. Kyle, what's the matter? Yes, I'm free. Where are you right now? I can come and find you. Okay! I'll head over right now."

Juan furrowed his eyebrows. Does Kyle want to meet with her as well? That's not the point. Why is she willing to go to him by just a phone call? Is she going to seduce him? No way! I can never let her have a chance to fool Kyle.

"You're going to meet with Kyle?"

"Yes, he wants to meet with me. I'm assuming it's about this matter as well. Are you going back to Seet Group as well? Should we leave together?"

Juan narrowed his eyes thoughtfully. "Sure! Let's head there together."

Without thinking too much, Sally entered his car. Just when she wanted to close the door, she was hit on the neck. Before she could react, she was immediately knocked out.

Chapter 1414 A Handsome Man

"You want to meet with Kyle? In your dreams!" Juan grinned mischievously and drove to a nearby hotel. Then he handed her over to a staff member to take her to a room.

Staring at her, Juan estimated that she would only awaken by tonight or tomorrow. Just when he wanted to leave, her buzzing phone caught his attention.

When he fished it out and checked the screen, he realized Kyle was calling her.

Juan's face darkened. What? So you want to meet with her so badly?

Glancing at the fainted woman, Juan hung up her phone and sent a text message to Kyle. After that, he tried his best to hold back a laugh and turned off her phone.

He believed that Kyle would change his mind about her after looking at this message.

Meanwhile, Kyle narrowed his eyes upon receiving the WhatsApp message. Why would she send such a weird message to me?

The message read: I'm meeting a man who is way more handsome than you, so I don't have time to find you. Stop disturbing my date. That's all. Bye!

Kyle was confused. She promised to meet with me just a minute ago, and yet she suddenly went on a date with someone else? With a man who is way more handsome than me? Does this kind of man even exist?

Kyle snorted, thinking about the absurdity of her text message.

When he wanted to call her again, he realized her phone had been switched off.

I can't believe she switched off her phone. Is she really on a date?

Suddenly, he felt a suffocating feeling inside his chest, and his expression darkened.

Beside him, John could not help but frown after noticing the change in his expression. Did something happen? When Mr. Kyle gets frustrated, his face is precisely the same as Mr. Seet's, and he's exuding a cold aura that causes one to feel suffocated in his presence. Is something wrong with the project?

John looked at him warily and asked, "Did something happen to the project?"

"It's nothing," Kyle replied curtly and continued with his work.

Despite many guesses, John was unable to find a reasonable explanation for Kyle's change in mood. If it were his father, I would have been able to make it out. Suddenly, I feel that Mr. Kyle is way more complicated than his father.

Fifteen minutes later, Juan arrived at Seet Group, and the first thing he did right after stepping into the office was to observe Kyle's expression. He couldn't wait to see Kyle's expression after Kyle read that text message. Would he perhaps start to hate her?

However, besides his facial expression being colder than usual, Juan failed to catch anything from Kyle after observing for some time.

"Do you have any work to be assigned to me?" he asked Kyle.

Looking up, Kyle seized him up, which made Juan's heart palpitate. Why is he looking at me like that? Does he know anything about what I did?

"Where were you?"

"I w-went to investigate the matter about Bernian Hospital."

"What did you find out?"

“I didn’t find out anything useful. However, I’ve set up a plan, so it won’t take long until I get a clue.”

“Where did you conduct your investigation? Did you ask Sally about it? You’re suspecting her, aren’t you?”

When he heard him suddenly bring up Sally, Juan’s heart lurched. “I-I did go and find her. However, she made up a bunch of excuses and brushed me off. We didn’t manage to talk much before she rushed off again to meet someone else.”

Kyle fell silent. So she really went to meet with a handsome man?

“Did you know where she went?”

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Where did she go? Well, she’s at the hotel sleeping.

However, Juan could not tell the truth to Kyle. After thinking for a moment, he replied, “That’s her privacy, isn’t it? There’s no way she would let me know.”

Kyle was taken aback for a moment.

“All right. You can leave the investigation to me. I promise that I’ll definitely find the truth.” After saying that, Juan called someone to order them to find out more information about the poisoned victim.

“I don’t understand. If the man is taking orders from someone to accuse Mommy and Bernian Hospital of using fake drugs, he could let his wife fake her sickness or even catch a cold to achieve the same effect. Why is there a need to use poison?”

Kyle stared deeply into Juan’s eyes. “Mommy will never get fooled. Besides, the machine can detect that there’s nothing wrong with her, so they would have never given her the medicine, and fake drugs wouldn’t come into the picture. It won’t work if it’s a minor sickness either, as Mommy wouldn’t be called to check on something as minor as that. Therefore, only a life-threatening illness could be possible. Plus, I think that the patient is also a victim. She probably didn’t know she would be used as a tool to sabotage Mommy and Bernian Hospital.”

“Well, d*mn! They actually took everything into account. If it’s like you say, we should really investigate this issue carefully. That way, we can seek justice for the dead too!”

“Mr. Juan, do you need my help?” John suddenly butted in.

“It’s all right. You should assist Kyle with Seet Group’s matters. I’m going to continue with my investigation.”

That night, Juan met up with the patient’s husband to continue his investigation.

“How did your wife get poisoned? You didn’t poison her yourself, right?”

“No way! She took the poison herself. It has nothing to do with me!” the man objected.

“Nothing to do with you? How can you prove that you’re not involved?”

“W-Well, you don’t have any evidence that I am!”

Juan stared at him fixedly. From the panic written on the man's face, he could basically confirm that the man was guilty.

"Of course, I have evidence against you. However, I'm giving you a chance to tell me the truth. I'll let you off if you come clean. If you don't, I'll torture you to death before killing you off."

The man's heart skipped a beat when he met Juan's intimidating gaze. However, he still refused to tell the truth.

Juan squinted at the man. Why is he so stubborn? In what other way can I make him confess?

Just when Juan was racking his brain, his phone rang.

He was stunned when he saw who was calling. How did she regain consciousness so quickly? Is she calling to settle the score? I could hang up the call, or I could just deny it. She has no evidence that I was the one who knocked her out, anyway!

After thinking of an excuse, he answered the call. "What is it?"

"Are you for real? Why did you knock me out?"

"What? I didn't do that."

"No? You were the one who sent me to the hotel! There are surveillance cameras around, you know. Should I send the footage to you?"

Juan was rendered speechless. "I-I didn't do anything wrong. I just brought you to a hotel room for you to sleep more comfortably after you fell asleep suddenly. You don't need to pay me back for the room, for it's an act of kindness."

Sally sneered. Hah! Let me see how much more you can bluff. I knew you're just a glib-talker!