

## Chapter 335 Come With Hubert

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Loraine had a very ominous premonition.

"Where are you going? I'll go with you."

As Loraine was about to leave with Hubert, Marco grabbed her hand.

"Let go off me, Marco," Loraine scolded him as she struggled to get her hand out of his grip.

Marco frowned but refused to let her go.

He had been annoyed by the strange relationship between Loraine and Rowan. Now, she was even rushing to go see him.

Marco had a great sense of crisis, and he just couldn't allow her to go without him.

But he knew he couldn't tell Loraine the real reason why.

He hesitated for a while, and then he said, "I'm worried about you. The trip must be very dangerous. Who will guarantee your safety?"

When Hubert heard this, he felt highly displeased.

"Are you questioning the ability of the Cheetah

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Command? I can promise you that the Cheetah Command has the ability to protect Miss Torres and we won't let anything happen to her!"

But Marco refused to back down and only stared at him coldly.

"Marco, it would be better if you just take some time to reflect on yourself rather than worry about other people. It seems every time Miss Torres is with you, something bad would happen to her. Is that not so?" Hubert sneered. "Or have you forgotten about it already? Miss Torres was drugged because of you. In the end, we were the ones who came to save her."

"It won't happen again," Marco murmured through gritted teeth.

"I hope so," Rupert said with a shrug.

"But I won't let Loraine leave with you just like that," Marco added.

He had hardly finished the statement when Loraine took him unawares and pulled away from him.

"I want to go with him, Marco. Don't stand in my way," she warned him.

"Why?" Marco asked angrily.

Though Hubert had just scolded Marco, he now began to plead with Loraine. "Miss Torres, we are going on a mission. It would be better that you just stay here and..."



But Loraine cut him off. "Tell me the truth. Is there anything wrong?"

Judging from Hubert's tone, she couldn't help but fear that everything was not alright.

Hubert was not with Rowan and he looked rather nervous. So, there must be something terribly wrong.

Moreover, Rowan had told her that the mission would be a little tricky this time.

When Hubert didn't say anything in response, her suspicions were immediately confirmed.

Her heart sank and she walked to the aircraft with a cold face.

Hubert and his men hurried to catch up with her so they could stop her from boarding, but Loraine glared at him and threatened hotly, "If you dare to stop me, I'll let Grandpa know about it!"

He had no choice but to follow her.

Marco struggled with himself for a moment before going after them. He grabbed Loraine's hand and said in a firm tone, "Let's go together!"

Loraine was worried about Rowan and she didn't want to argue with Marco, so she agreed.

Before long, the aircraft took off.

It made Paige very jealous. "Once Mr. Torres finds out

that Loraine is actually with Marco, he'll definitely be pissed off. That bitch won't be so complacent for long."

Trevor took a glance at her and shook his head in pity.

"Forget about it. You'd better worry about yourself instead. In any case, Loraine has a close relationship with Mr. Torres. Do you realize what you would have gotten yourself into once Rowan finds out that you've been picking on Loraine?"

Paige's face turned pale immediately. It was clear that she was worried about this, but she still retorted stubbornly, "Loraine and I are both from rich families, and my status is not much different from hers. What should I be afraid of?"

Paige had barely finished talking when her phone suddenly began to ring. She looked at it and saw that it was a call from Eaton. She hesitated for a while before answering it.

Immediately, an angry voice filled her ear.

"Paige Johnathan! Look what you've done!"

"Dad, what are you talking about? What's going on?" Paige asked, blinking in confusion. Or was he talking about what had happened at the airport? But how could he have found out about it so soon?

"How could you be so stupid? Couldn't you think about easy it would be to be exposed when you hired rumormongers online and reporters to slander Loraine?"



When Paige heard this, she looked down guiltily.

"Now, pack your things and come back right now!" Eaton ordered.

But Paige seemed to have a different idea. "Dad, since those things have been exposed, it's very likely that Marco would bring a lawsuit against me. So, I'm thinking perhaps I should go abroad for a while?"

"Go abroad? Do you know how much money the company has lost because of you! Come back as soon as possible and wait for the adjudication from the board! Otherwise, you won't get even one penny from me anymore!"

With that, Eaton hung up. Paige was left in shock. Her phone slipped off her hand and fell to pieces.

Obviously, she was doomed. Eaton had decided to sacrifice her and let her take all the blame. In other words, she had been given up by the family!

## Chapter 336 A Firm Decision

The aircraft belonged to the Cheetah Command.

As Loraine and Marco stepped on board, they immediately sensed that something was different. The interior of the military aircraft was spacious, comparable in size to a commercial airplane, yet devoid of passenger seats. Instead, it was adorned with various military equipment, exuding an atmosphere of cold, hard solemnity.

Soldiers lined the cabin on both sides, armed and ready, creating a palpable tension.

"Sir, the Cheetah Command is assembled!" The soldiers' voices reverberated throughout the cabin.

Hubert acknowledged them with a stoic nod while shooting a sidelong glance at Marco. This was a special gift he had prepared just for him.

However, the reaction he anticipated never came.

Marco remained poised and collected, but couldn't help trying to shield Loraine from any potential fright.

Impressed, Hubert gave him a nod of approval.

Once the plane soared steadily through the sky, Loraine couldn't contain her curiosity any longer. "Alright, can you tell me the truth now? What exactly



happened?"

Realizing he could no longer evade her questions, Hubert cleared his throat before divulging the truth.

"Mr. Torres encountered an accident during a mission. To buy time for the rest of the team to escape safely, he stayed behind to distract the enemy and was subsequently captured."

Lorraine's face was drained of color.

Hurriedly, Hubert tried to console her, "Don't worry. They need the intelligence he possesses, so they won't harm him, at least not for now. We're going to rescue him today."

Before he could finish, Lorraine interjected resolutely, "Take me with you."

Marco chimed in, "No way. I won't let you do that!"

Lorraine glared at him with tear-filled eyes.

What was Marco's problem? He had tried to stop her multiple times today!

With a tense expression, Marco argued, "The Cheetah Command is comprised of elite soldiers. Your presence would serve no purpose other than to endanger your own life. Is it truly worth risking everything for Rowan?"

He wanted to say that Rowan's fate shouldn't concern Lorraine, but he feared she might reveal a deeper

connection to Rowan.

The soldiers grasped the underlying message and directed unfriendly glares to him.

Sensing the atmosphere growing tense, Hubert coughed to signal everyone to simmer down.

He then turned to Loraine and adopted a conciliatory tone. "Please rest assured. I promise you that we will bring Mr. Torres back. You can wait for us on the plane. Is that acceptable to you?"

If Rowan discovered that he brought Loraine to such a dangerous place, Hubert was going to face severe consequences.

Loraine, however, rejected his proposal with a cold, piercing gaze.

"I appreciate your concern, but don't forget that I'm not some delicate lady. Rowan trained me personally. I'm far more capable than you think!"

Hearing this, Marco recalled Loraine's poise and courage during the hijack.

His heart tightened, a pang of jealousy taking hold. He hadn't realized that it was Rowan who had taught Loraine those skills.

With jealousy seeping through his words, Marco inquired, "So, the guy you mentioned on the plane who taught you was actually Rowan?"



Without hesitation, Loraine nodded. "Yes."

Noticing Marco's sullen expression, she couldn't help but think he had been acting strangely all day. However, she dismissed her thoughts and said to Hubert, "Regardless, I must take part in this rescue mission. I promise I won't be a burden."

At that moment, Marco's jealousy flared. Why did Rowan matter so much to Loraine? How could that man warrant Loraine risking her life to save him?

Frustration and anxiety consumed Marco as he asked, "Loraine, don't you fear death?"

Loraine replied with conviction, "As long as Rowan is safe, I'm willing to do anything, even if it costs my life!"

Marco's mind buzzed with envy.

Loraine glanced at him and remarked, "Marco, this doesn't concern you. If you're worried about your safety, you can leave the plane anytime." She then turned to Hubert and asked, "Is there a place where we can let Marco off first?"

After a moment of contemplation, Hubert nodded. "Certainly."

Marco clenched his teeth, speechless.

He realized he couldn't change Loraine's mind, but the thought of her in danger terrified him. Finally, he forced himself to say, "I'll go with you."

"Are you serious?" Loraine asked in surprise.

Marco nodded, his face clouded by tension.

An unexpected sense of relief washed over Loraine.

At that moment, she could no longer deceive herself. It felt reassuring to face these challenges with Marco by her side.