

The Ex-Husband's Revenge By Dragonsky

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Chapter 1761

"Brat, are you still going to be stubborn?" Nolan's expression turned cold.

Even though he knew that Leon was probably only in the Semi Emperor State, he could not figure out where Leon got the confidence from. He was daring to try and face Nolan head-on!

Was that no suicide?!

Of course, just thinking about how Norin was strangely defeated by Leon, he did not face Leon head-on for safety's sake.

Instead, he switched up his attack as he continued to charge at Leon!

Leon did the same, quickly switching up his approach as he continued to go at Nolan!

However, since Leon was not as quick as Nolan, he quickly fell behind. He found himself unable to keep up with Nolan's pace!

Thankfully, he had the Mirror of Sovereign on him, so he was not worried that Nolan would be able to hurt

him!

However, any outsiders could tell that he was in incredible danger due to the difference in speed!

"This guy is at the Semi Emperor State!"

"It looks like he's done for!"

Gordon and Norin were both incredibly happy to see that sight.

Of course, it was not just them, Nolan felt that way too!

After testing it out, Nolan was sure that Leon was only at the Semi Emperor State level in various ways!

Leon was drastically weaker than Nolan at the intermediate Emperor State!

It meant that Nolan no longer needed to hold back!

“Brat, stay down!”

After realizing Leon’s skills, Nolan no longer hesitated. With a shout, he struck out with incredible force at

Leon!

Leon was not fast enough, and could not fight back. So, he turned around and used the Mirror of Sovereign

to block the attack.

“Die!” Nolan had a sharp look in his eyes.

Taking the chance, he increased the force of his attack, slamming viciously at Leon’s chest!

However, he still held back a little, since Leon never had any grudges against the Huges, and Leon let Gordon off just now as well. He did not use fatal strength!

“This is great! Cripple that guy!”

Gordon started to laugh happily when he saw that Leon was going to get hit!

He knew that, no matter how strong Leon was, he was still made of flesh and bone!

With Leon’s vital point in his chest about to be hit by Nolan, he would be crippled, if not die!

Nolan helped him get revenge!

Suddenly, he was as happy as can be!

However, before he could even finish laughing, something that shocked him to the core happened!

With a loud strike, Nolan’s attack landed right on Leon’s chest. However, it did not injure Leon at all. Leon did not even a single step!

At the same time, Leon took the chance to attack Nolan while Nolan was spent. He struck out with imperious force, quickly striking at Nolan’s chest!

Chapter 1762

“W—what is this?” Nolan was shocked. He looked like he saw a ghost. He thought that he would be able to easily injure Leon!

Yet, he never would have dreamed that Leon would remain uninjured after taking a blow from him, and remain standing there!

It was just unbelievable!

If he did not witness it himself, he would refuse to believe that it was real!

That was not it, any slight mistake in a battle between experts could lead to disaster!

Due to his misstep, Leon took the chance to strike back, and he could only stare as Leon’s attack went for

him!

However, he was still an incredible warrior in the intermediate Emperor State. He was not someone that

could be underestimated!

In the face of danger, he managed to force his body a dozen centimeters to the side, narrowly avoiding the attack striking his vitals. However, his shoulder was struck by Leon’s fist!

Bang!

With a loud sound, Nolan let out a cry before he retreated three or four steps back, barely managing to regain his footing.

Right after that, he felt a surge of blood up his chest. A line of blood flowed out of his mouth. He sustained

some minor injuries.

Thankfully, he was kind enough to not try to kill Leon just now.

Leon was always someone who knew right from wrong. When he saw that Nolan was holding back, he pulled back at the last moment as well and did not deal a fatal blow.

Otherwise, if Nolan faced his spiritual energy head-on, Nolan would not have just sustained some internal injuries!

“H—how is this possible!?”

Gordon and Norin were both stunned at the sight. They rubbed their eyes in disbelief!

Earlier, they saw that Leon was only at the Semi Emperor State at most when it came to speed,

explosiveness, or in any other way!

Leon was much weaker than Nolan, who was at the intermediate Emperor State. There was no way he would

be able to beat Nolan!

Yet, Leon somehow managed to beat someone stronger than him. Not only did he take on Nolan's incredible attack, he even injured Nolan!

It completely shattered all their expectations and knowledge of martial arts!

It was obvious how shocked they were!

"Alright, it's all over now! Mister Bailey, didn't you say you wanted to break my legs just now? Let's see who's going to break whose leg!" Leon sneered. He started to walk toward Gordon, throwing Gordon's own

words back at him.

"D— don't come here," Gordon was shocked when he snapped out of his shock. He was incredibly terrified.

Even though he did not know how Leon defeated Nolan, he knew something very well!

His greatest trump cards, Nolan and Norin, were not able to face Leon. There was no way he would be able to do anything to Leon!

With that in mind, he hurriedly told the two of them, "Nolan, two of you hold him back. I'll go get

reinforcements."

As he said that, he turned around to run without any hesitation.

"You're trying to run? It won't be so easy!" Leon sneered. Then, he turned around and quickly ran after

Gordon.

Chapter 1763

“Brat, don’t even think about it!”

Nolan and Norin held back the pain in their bodies as they hurriedly rushed to stop Leon

Even though they knew that they were no match for Leon, Gordon was still the in-law of the Hughes. There was no way they could just sit by and let Leon hurt Gordon!

So, the two of them were forced to face Leon in hopes that they would win Gordon some more time to run away!

“Get lost!” Leon said coldly.

He needed to cut off the head of the beast.

His goal was Gordon, and he was in no mood to continue fighting with Nolan and Norin, so he raised his hand and swiped forward.

A few needles shot out, charging right at Nolan and Norin!

Of course, those were just regular needles. They did not have Deadly Veratrum Poison on them.

The poisoned needles were specifically meant to deal with the eight evildoers. He could not use it that causally.

“Not good!”

Feeling the needles coming at them, Nolan and Norin’s expressions changed.

After that, they rolled on the ground and narrowly avoided the attack.

Taking the chance, Leon passed Nolan and Rick, charging straight for Gordon incredibly quickly.

“Where are you running to?!” Leon shouted coldly. With a wave, an incredibly powerful force charged right at

Gordon’s back.

“No!” Gordon was shocked. He hurriedly dodged to the side, trying to avoid Leon’s attack.

However, his skills were just too much worse than Leon's. Even if he used all his might, he was not able to avoid Leon's attack. His back was struck by Leon.

Gordon spat out a mouthful of blood, and his body was sent flying by Leon. He rolled on the ground a few times, falling face-first.

"You stubborn fool! Let's see how you're going to keep running!" Leon shouted coldly. He looked down at Gordon as he stepped on Gordon's chest.

"I'm done for now!!!

Gordon's expression was completely ashen.

"Who dares cause trouble in Hughes family territory?! How dare you?!"

Right at that moment, an angry shout was heard.

Darius marched in with an angry look on his face. Behind him were two old men who had serious looks on

their faces as they rushed inside.

After the executives slipped away from the room, they did not only call Nolan and Norin over but also reported the matter to Darius!

Darius was furious when he found out that someone was causing trouble at the Hughes Group. He immediately brought his men over in a hurry.

He just arrived!

Seeing Leon standing over Gordon, one of the old men behind Darius quickly reacted. He took advantage of the fact that Leon did not put up a defense yet to send out a wave of incredibly strong true energy right at

Leon.

"Peak Emperor State!" Leon was shocked to feel the immense true energy coming from the old man.

He did not dare to delay things for a second as he started to rapidly retreat.

"You're trying to run? Can you even do that?!" The old man sneered.

He charged forward in pursuit, rearing his arm backward as he quickly attacked Leon with incredible power.

He prepared to deal with Leon for daring to cause trouble at Hughes Group!

“Not good,” Leon’s expression changed dramatically at that. He rapidly retreated backward, trying to avoid

the old man’s attack.

However, the old man in the gray shirt changed his attack based on how Leon moved. On top of that, Leon was weaker and slower than the old man.

No matter how hard he tried, he still failed to avoid the attack. He could only stare as the opponent’s attack

came for him.

Chapter 1764

“Preposterous!”

At that moment, John charged forward and appeared in front of Leon.

After that, he unleashed his immense power on the old man in a gray shirt!

Bang!

With an intense explosion, John and the old man’s attacks fell squarely on each other.

John’s body did not move at all.

Meanwhile, the old man was forced to stagger back a few steps before he regained his footing.

It was obvious from that clash that John’s strength was stronger than the old man’s!

“John, it’s you!” The old man was shocked.

John was an old expert from the Thompsons. Gordon, Nolan, and Norin were from younger generations, so it was normal that they did not recognize John.

However, the old man was different. He was also part of the younger generation and met John before. He naturally knew who John was!

Of course, the old man was not the only one who was shocked, Darius was as well!

Even though he never met John before, he was quite friendly with Yuri.

Roanne was Yuri's sister, so he met Roanne a few times when he went to visit Yuri and his family.

He quickly recognized Roanne, who was not far away from John!

After that, he thought about it and immediately realized that this was very possibly a misunderstanding!

At that moment, Gordon managed to escape his precarious situation and climbed up pathetically.

"Darius, you came at the perfect time! This guy isn't just causing trouble at the Hughes Group, he even injured me! Hurry up and have your men get rid of him for my revenge!" Gordon pointed at Leon and said viciously. He had his earlier arrogance and confidence again!

Darius personally led two of the older generation from the Hughes over.

Those two were incredibly strong. It would be very easy for them to get rid of someone like Leon!

So, he was suddenly a lot more confident. He even started to think about how he would torture Leon when Leon fell into his hands earlier!

Yet, before he could even finish his thoughts, something that shocked him happened the next moment!

"Shut up!" Darius shouted angrily. He landed a slap right at Gordon's face.

Smack!

A loud sound was heard, and Gordon spun around after his slap. His head almost flew off his shoulders.

"Darius, I asked you to help me teach that brat a lesson. Why did you hit me?" Gordon clenched his

painful face, feeling completely stunned.

It was not just him, Nolan and Norin were the same. They exchanged a look of shock with each other, clearly not realizing why Darius would suddenly slap Gordon for no reason!

"You idiot! You deserve to be hit! Do you know who they are?! They're from the Thompsons!" Nolan shouted angrily, fire almost shot out of his eyes.

Chapter 1765

“What? They’re the Thompsons? How’s that possible?!” Gordon was stunned to hear that. He could not

believe his ears.

He knew Snow. She was just from an insignificant family in Springfield City. They were nothing in the Southern Region!

Leon was Snow’s boyfriend. On top of that, he never saw Leon in the Southern Region’s circles before!

That was why he was so certain that Leon was not someone important at all!

Yet, he never expected that Leon was actually from the Thompsons!

It greatly exceeded his expectations, and caught him completely off guard!

It was obvious how shocked he was!

“Why isn’t it possible? Do you think I’m blind? Do you think I can’t tell that they’re from the Thompsons?! I even told you constantly to make sure you treat them well. Is this treating them well?!” The more Darius spoke, the angrier he got. He kicked Gordon right to the floor.

Even though he did not know what happened between Leon and Gordon, he could still see what the situation

was.

He could easily guess that Gordon mistreated them or disrespected them. Otherwise, there was no way both sides would have started fighting!

Gordon was definitely to blame!

“Darius, I—I didn’t know they were from the Thompsons. I didn’t do it on purpose!”

After knowing who Leon and the others were, Gordon’s expression paled. He fell to the ground, not knowing what to do.

Of course, it was not just him, Nolan and Norin were not much better.

Earlier, they attacked Leon constantly under Gordon’s orders.

They had completely ashen looks on their faces after finding out that Leon and the others were from the Thompsons. Their hearts sank.

“Gordon, this is all your fault! I’ll remember this! I’ll make sure to settle things with you when we’re back!” Darius shouted angrily. After that, he ignored Gordon as he walked toward Leon, Roanne, and the others.

“Miss Thompson, it’s been a long time. Our family mistreated you this time and offended all of you a lot. Please forgive us,” Darius went over to greet Roanne and apologize.

“Mister Hughes, you’re too kind. This time, One of you has been disrespectful to Leon and Snow. Please make sure to make it up to the two of them,” Roanne said unhappily.

Ever since Leon saved her so many times, she already viewed Leon as someone she relied upon and she was very close to.

Leon’s position in her heart was second only to Yuri and her parents..

Earlier, she saw what Gordon and the others tried to do to Leon.

Even if she was always kind and innocent, she was still angered!

“Miss Thompson, don’t worry, I’ll make sure to give you a good explanation!” Darius nodded. After that, he

turned to look at Leon.

“If I’m not mistaken, you must be Mister Leon Wolf? Mister Wolf, I’ve heard Mister Thompson mention your name before. He always praised you for being a man among men, and has always praised your talent! It looks like he was not exaggerating!” Darius laughed in a friendly manner.

Even though he did not know if Leon was as excellent as Yuri said, Leon was still able to easily avoid the old man’s strike earlier. It meant that he was skilled in martial arts! Just from that point alone, he had to look at Leon in a better light.

Chapter 1766

“Mister Hughes, you’re too kind,” Leon said calmly.

Even though he hated Gordon, Darius was much more friendly, so he had a decent impression of Darius.

“Mister Wolf, our family is at fault for what happened today. We’ve wronged you. Please forgive us,” Darius said.

After that, he looked over at Gordon behind him with a cold expression. He shouted, “Gordon, hurry up and apologize to Mister Wolf and the rest of them. Make sure you get him to forgive you!”

“Ah, yes,” Gordon was shocked. He hurriedly got up, and no longer looked as arrogant as he did before.

“Wait! Mister Hughes, if you let him just settle this with an apology, you’d be letting him off too easily!” Leon said seriously.

Mister Wolf, how do you want to settle this?” Darius asked.

Leon thought about it for a moment.

He wanted to break Gordon’s legs as revenge for Snow!

However, Darius was acting quite kind and seemed to be friendly with Yuri as well.

No matter what, he needed to make sure that he did not make things too hard for Darius. He could not be too ruthless.

“How about this? Since you’ve been good to us, just have him kneel and apologize to Snow. Make him get her forgiveness! Then I’ll forget about this!” Leon said calmly, voicing out his condition.

“What?”

Everyone was shocked at what Leon said.

Even though Gordon was at fault this time, Gordon was still married to the Hughes. He was Darius’ brother-in-law as well.

Leon asking Gordon to kneel and apologize was a slap to Darius’s face and a slap to the Hughes as well!

“Impossible! Mister Wolf, your request is crossing the line a bit!” Darius’ expression darkened.

The Hughes were one of the major families in the Southern Region. Their position was a respected one!

If he let Gordon kneel and apologize, then the Hughes would be greatly embarrassed if word ever got out!

There was no way he could agree to that!

“Crossing the line? Mister Hughes, when it comes to crossing the line, I can’t even compare to the Hughes!” Leon said coldly.

“Why do you say that?” Darius said with a frown.

“Forgive me for being honest, but we came over here because we sincerely wanted to discuss working with the Hughes.

However, Mister Bailey here was not only incredibly rude, but he also set his eyes on Snow and tried to take advantage of us as well. I ended up stopping it. After that, your experts came over. I let him go

like I said I would, but they ended up being dishonorable and started to attack me. If I wasn’t skilled enough, I might have already fallen into your hands! Who’s the one that’s crossing the line now?!” Leon sneered.

“What? Did that happen?!” Darius was shocked to hear that. His heart sank.

Gordon was his brother-in-law, but Gordon was still thinking about taking advantage of a different woman. Just that alone was not something he could tolerate!

That was not all!

The Hughes were a morally upright family just like the Thompsons were. They viewed their family’s name and reputation with great importance!

There was no way the Hughes would ever tolerate anyone who did anything dishonorable or ruined the family name!

Yet, Gordon did both of them, and they even ended up angering the Thompsons!

It was obvious how angry Darius would feel!

Chapter 1767

“Nolan, Norin, is what Mister Wolf said true?” Darius shot a sharp look at the two of them. He wanted to see if Leon was speaking the truth.

The two of them were shocked. They immediately knelt.

“Sir, we were just listening to orders. It was not what we wanted to do,” Nolan and Norin both started to break out with cold sweats, worried that Darius would direct his anger at that.

“I’m asking the two of you if it happened! You can just answer me honestly!” Darius said coldly.

“Yes,

what Mister Wolf said is true!” The two of them said.

“Very good! Gordon, you sure are something else. You’ve greatly embarrassed the family this time!” Darius was furious. With a wave of his hand, an incredibly powerful wave of energy surged at Gordon!

Bang!

Gordon was not even able to react in time as he was sent flying by Gordon’s true energy. He rolled on the ground a few times and spat out mouthfuls of blood.

“Darius, I—I didn’t do it on purpose!”

Gordon crawled up pathetically as he clutched his chest in pain.

He still wanted to defend himself, but the truth was plain for all to see. No matter what he said, there was no way Darius would believe him. It would only make Darius even angrier!

So, he wisely shut his mouth up.

“Kneel! Apologize to Mister Wolf and the others!” Darius held back the anger in his heart as he said coldly.

This time, Gordon tried to abuse his power. Leon was already being very kind by only having Gordon kneel and apologize, not pursuing the matter.

For the sake of appeasing Leon and the Thompsons, he accepted Leon’s conditions.

Gordon did not dare to go against Darius’ orders. Even though he was reluctant, he was forced to hold back the humiliation as he knelt in front of Leon and Snow.

“Snow, I-

” Gordon opened his mouth, but before he could say anything, he was interrupted by Snow.

“Don’t call me Snow, you have no right!” Snow said coldly.

“Miss Poole, I was at fault just now. I offended you deeply. Please forgive me just this once,” Gordon

apologized.

“Whatever, I hope you know your place in the future!” Snow said coldly. She felt quite complicated in her heart, but there was a sense of closure as well.

In the end, Gordon was still her ex–boyfriend. He liked Gordon before.

Yet, they were already enemies at this point. It was normal for her to feel conflicted!

Due to her romantic trauma, she was not able to step out of the shadows of it in the past few years

After seeing the ugly character behind Gordon, she just felt immensely disgusted. It caused the conflict in her heart to come undone. She felt like she finally let go!

She felt incredibly happy about that!

“Yes!”

After gaining Snow’s forgiveness, Gordon looked like a heavy burden was taken off his shoulders. He was just about to stand up when he saw Leon there. He knelt again.

“Mister Wolf, I was ignorant this time and offended you. Please forgive me,” Gordon said.

“Get up! For the sake of the Hughes, this matter will stop here! However, if there’s a second time, you won’t be so lucky!” Leon said coldly.

“Yes, yes, there won’t be a second time,” Gordon immediately stood up after that.

Chapter 1768

“Mister Wolf, let’s talk about the collaboration. To express our sincerity in asking for forgiveness, I’ll do my best to distribute your products,” Darius went straight to the point after they dealt with Gordon’s matter.

The Hughes took a hit in Leon’s eyes due to Gordon’s actions.

He hoped that he would be able to resolve things with Leon completely through this collaboration!

Of course, the main reason he wanted to do that was because of the Thompsons and Yuri. Otherwise, someone with a background as insignificant as Leon's would not have gained so much of his attention!

However, he did not know that Leon was able to establish a footing in the Southern Region so quickly because of his skills, not the Thompsons!

If he knew of Leon's skills in medicine and alchemy, as well as the fact that Leon was the chairman of Cynthion Group, he would understand that he was underestimating Leon too much!

"Yes, alright. Thank you then, Mister Hughes," Leon said with a smile, remembering this favor from Darius.

Even though Elegante's cosmetics were developed by himself and were all incredibly effective, the importance of having a good platform and enough resources was not something that could be replaced in the current society!

Without a platform and enough resources, Elegante would have a very difficult time breaking into the Southern Region's market!

If Darius was willing to devote resources to Elegante, then the company would be able to develop incredibly quickly!

That was perfect for him!

"Mister Wolf, you're too kind! Collaboration is something that benefits both sides. This is the least I can do," Darius smiled.

After that, he looked over at Nolan and the others, saying, "Nolan, you can go off for now! Also, have the executives come over to help me discuss the collaboration with Mister Wolf!"

"Yes," Nolan answered. After that, he left the room with Gordon and the others.

In the large guest room, only Leon, Darius, Snow, and the others were left.

In just a moment, footsteps were heard. The executives that Gordon brought over just now walked inside.

With the help of those executives, Leon and Darius quickly managed to pen down the price, profit distribution, and many other things, and they signed the contract.

After getting the contract, Leon said goodbye to Darius. After that, he left Hughes Group with Snow and the

others.

As they were driving.

“Leon, thank you for today. Thank you for standing up for me,” Snow thanked Leon profusely.

“Snow, we’re not outsiders here. Do you need to be so polite?” Leon rolled his eyes and said.

“Yes, you’re right! However, I’m a bit confused. Why didn’t you tell him about your relationship with the

Thompsons when things got sour with Gordon?” Snow asked curiously.

Earlier, when she and Leon just met Gordon, Leon was not able to tell Gordon about the Thompsons after being interrupted.

However, Leon had plenty of chances to bring it up later, but he did not say it!

Otherwise, there was no way Gordon would do anything if he found out about Leon’s relationship with the Thompsons!

Chapter 1769

“Honestly, that was on purpose,” Leon smiled calmly.

After finding out that Gordon was Snow’s ex-boyfriend, on top of how Snow was traumatized romantically before, he immediately felt unhappy with Gordon. He wanted to take the chance to teach Gordon a lesson to take revenge for Snow.

However, Gordon was related to the Hughes, his position was quite high.

If he did not have a good reason to, he could not do anything to Gordon directly. Otherwise, the Hughes would not let it go!

So, he deliberately hid who he was, and even let Gordon go in the middle so he could fan the flames of Gordon’s arrogance!

Then, he would have a good enough reason. Even if he ended up accidentally injuring Gordon, the Hughes would have to clench their teeth and accept it!

Just like

he said, Gordon was way too arrogant. In the end, he was not able to get any advantages, and even ended up completely losing!

“So that’s it!” Snow then realized Leon’s plan.

“However, is it worth it to do all of that for me?” snow said with a complicated look on her face.

She knew that Leon was only at the Overlord State. Leon was only able to defeat Nolan and Norin because he sneakily took a Dragon Pill.

Others might not have noticed that, but Snow saw it!

After being around Leon for some time, she already knew that Leon would have a period of weakness after taking the Dragon Pill.

Leon used the Dragon Pill to stand up for her, and almost ended up making enemies of the Hughes and destroying Elegante’s collaboration with Hughes Group!

Yet, Leon did not seem to even bat an eye at that!

It was obvious how she would feel!

“It was worth it, absolutely so! You’re my sister. I won’t allow anyone else to bully you!” Leon said seriously.

Ever since Snow helped him take a fatal blow, Leon already accepted Snow as his sister!

On top of that, he did not have much of a family himself, so Snow was family in his eyes!

When it came to Snow, as well as Iris and the others, collaborations and profits, and other materialistic things were nothing!

No matter who dared to bully Snow, Iris, or the others, he would not let them off no matter the price he needed to pay!

That was the bottom line of his principles!

“You’re such a good brother!” Snow said with a smile. She seemed to feel a surge of warmth in her heart.

At Elegante's office, Leon, Snow, and the others met Iris in the office after they were back.

"Leon, How did the discussions go with the Hughes?" Iris asked in concern, putting down the work in her hand as she looked up.

"It's already done. This is the contract," Leon passed the document to Iris.

"Alright!"

Iris accepted the document and flipped through it. She immediately let out a happy smile.

This time, the Hughes gave Elegante some special prices and profits, and even gave them a lot of resources to work with!

It exceeded her expectations!

Currently, Elegante had a lot of capital since they had Cynthion Group's help, so the prices and profit cuts were not that important.

However, the distribution of resources were incredibly important to Elegante's growth. It could let

Elegante's product spread across the Southern Region faster. It was something that they could not even buy with money!

It was obvious how happy she was!

Chapter 1770

"Leon, why did Hughes Group give us such good terms? How did you do it?!" Iris could not help but ask after she calmed down from her happiness.

"It's like this!" Leon explained the situation.

"So that's it! I can't believe something like that happened. It was just supposed to be signing a contract!"

Iris realized something as she heard that.

However, that was nothing too significant, and Leon and Snow were not hurt, so she quickly put it aside.

“Iris, our distribution channels have been solved! After this, we need to strike while the iron is hot. We should be looking to expand and start operations immediately!” Leon said after some thought.

Even

though the Hughes Group was the biggest distributor in the Southern Region and had the best distribution channels, that was different from actual sales.

Hughes Group was just responsible for sending Elegante’s products to the various major stores and malls, handling the problem with them getting their products out there.

However, whether or not Elegante’s products would be able to get the acknowledgment of the consumers would be all down to them!

“That’s easy. We just need to find some famous stars to help us market it, and we need to pick up on the advertising! As well! I’ll deal with it. You don’t have to worry about it!” Iris said with a smile.

Elegante was a company from Springfield City. Their products were not that famous in the Southern Region.

If Elegante was to break into the market in the Southern Region, they needed to bolster their reputation and name on top of having distribution channels!

So, advertisements and having stars promote their products was the most effective method!

On top of that, Elegante’s effects were very good. They would be acknowledged by the consumers!

“Yes, then I’ll leave that to you! I took a Dragon Pill just now. I’ll go back home to rest,” Leon said.

“Alright, you can leave first!” Iris nodded.

“Leon, wait! I’ll go back with you. I can take care of you if you need anything.”

”

Snow hurried after Leon when she saw that Snow was leaving.

She was Leon’s assistant, so she did not need to stay behind if Leon was not there.

Furthermore, Leon took the Dragon Pill for her sake!

Since Leon was about to enter a weakened state, she felt the need to go back and take care of Leon!

After that, Leon and her left the company to go home together.

In the following month, Iris started to busy herself with promotion and marketing within Elegante.

She first hired three famous stars to promote their cosmetics. After that, she spent large sums of money to advertise in various forms of media and online platforms.

Very quickly, Elegante's name was spread throughout the Southern Region and even Sky County!

Right after that, she pushed Elegante's cosmetics to most of the large malls and high-end cosmetics stores in the Southern Region through the Hughes Group, establishing a solid foundation for Elegante in the

market!

Of course, when they first started, Elegante was a new product, so most consumers had their doubts.

However, good products were not afraid to be trialed by fire!

As more and more customers used their products, everyone quickly realized that Elegante's cosmetics were not only reasonably priced, but they were also much more effective than many expensive luxury brands!

Suddenly, word started to spread, and Elegante's products started to quickly become famous!

They made many waves in the cosmetics market in the Southern region!

In the end, in just a short half a month, Elegante smoothly broke into the Southern Region's market and quickly established itself.

Chapter 1771

Leon was sitting in the center of the Energy Convergence Circle in the backyard with his eyes closed, amid his training, while the Spiritual Pearl hovered above him in mid-air.

The powerful energy contained within the Spiritual Pearl seemed to be condensing all the purified true energy surrounding them, refracting them into flashes of green light through

gh the Energy Convergence Circle. The green light then seeped into Leon's body, where they were absorbed and metabolized into his training.

Leon encountered plenty of new enemies ever since arriving in the Southern region, and among them, the

Southern Boss was the one most feared and revered!

Since Iris was busy planning the new products' marketing schemes, Leon did not have much to do at the office, and thus decided to spend his time at home, trying to level up in his training so that he would one day -sooner rather than later—overcome his plateau!

He already used the imperial purple amethyst and the Energy Convergence Circle to condense the natural true energy into the villa, but the natural true energy from the outdoors was still far more purified than he could even make them out to be!

Therefore, apart from eating and sleeping, Leon spent all of his time sitting in the backyard, absorbing the true energy of outdoor nature to aid his training.

With the help of the Spiritual Pearl, Leon could feel that his sage arts training was growing progressively advanced and that it would not be long before he attained the Peak Foundation Phase!

As the sun began to set, Leon could gradually feel the true energy dissipating with every passing moment. It was then he decided to call it a day and got up, intending to continue his training the next day.

“What a pity! I was so close!” Leon lamented, glancing at the trees all around him with a remorseful look. After two weeks' worth of intensified training, he was only a stone's throw away from attaining the Peak Foundation Phase!

If he successfully overcame his plateau, he would finally be able to use the Angel's Fruit to reconstruct his internal circulation and attain the Golden Core Phase!

The Golden Core Phase was equivalent to the Emperor State of martial arts, and with the rest of his tricks, he would be able to defeat even warriors of the Intermediate Almighty State with no problem!

One could only imagine Leon's excitement at the thought of this!

Unfortunately, things did not go as planned—he trained so intensely these few weeks that even the true energy of the woods depleted. The remaining true energy was barely sufficient to fuel their basic needs, and there was no longer any leftover energy for him to continue his training!

The regeneration of the true energy was too slow and could not keep up with his demands at all, and if Leon were to resume his training, he needed to wait until the true energy was replenished!

However, martial arts was not just about attaining strength—it was also all about patience and

determination. If one were to train nonstop without rest, he would easily fall into the trap and lose control of his powers!

Leon was so focused on attaining results that he neglected to care for his body amidst the intensive training, and even he was beginning to feel the after-effects of this.

Since his true energy was beginning to be depleted, it was just in time for him to slow down and take a break, which would allow him to digest what he obtained over the past few weeks.

This would prove to be beneficial to him after all!

Chapter 1772

The next morning, he was getting ready to leave with Iris for the office after having their breakfast.

“Weren’t you in the middle of your training, Leon? Aren’t you planning to do the same today?” Iris asked in surprise.

“No, I’m done with my training,” Leon replied, smiling.

“Well, what’s the outcome then? What level have you attained now?” Ruth could not help interrupting.

“Well, I’m probably at the Advanced Overlord State now,” Leon replied after some thought. After almost two weeks of intensive training, not only did he improve leaps and bounds in his sage arts training, but he also advanced quickly in his martial arts training until he successfully attained the Intermediate Supreme State, which was roughly equivalent to the Advanced Overlord State.

This placed him at a great advantage, even against warriors of the Peak Overlord State. However, if he had the Dragon Pill and the Mirror of Sovereign with him, not even Emperors would stand a chance against him!

“Advanced Overlord State? That’s insane!” Ruth pursed her lips in envy. When she first crossed paths with Leon, he was only at the Intermediate Supreme State whereas she was only a short way behind, at the Initial Supreme State.

Ruth was always regarded as a natural talent at martial arts, but even so, she only managed to attain the Semi-Overlord State just a few days ago.

Yet Leon already advanced to the Advanced Overlord State, which was a huge leap from hers!

The comparison was truly the thief of joy.

Not only that, but aside from having outstanding natural talent in martial arts, Leon seemed to always have the greatest luck in finding rare, valuable treasures that aided him greatly in his training.

With this in consideration, not even the Overlords or Emperors were in any matches against Leon at all!

This was something that Ruth envied him for, and if her guesses were correct, she would never be able to catch up to him at all!

“Wow! That’s amazing, Leon!” Iris, Cynthia, and Snow nodded in admiration.

Even the three of them managed to advance leaps and bounds in their training.

Cynthia and Snow both successfully attained the Advanced Supreme State, whereas Iris broke through to the Peak Innate State. Even so, after ingesting a Basic Pure Energy Pill, she managed to attain the Initial Supreme State!

However, in comparison, their progress was nothing compared to Leon’s.

“Iris, the four of you have improved greatly as well! As long as you keep this up, I’m sure that one day, all of you will eventually break through to the Emperor State, and perhaps even the Almighty State! Don’t think so low of yourselves!” Leon reassured them.

Now that all four of the girls attained at least the Supreme State, and Ruth even already attained the Semi-Overlord State, they would be considered the best among the best in Springfield City.

Unfortunately, they would still be no match for most warriors in the Southern region!

“Yes, you’re right! If it weren’t for you, I probably wouldn’t even have attained the Intermediate Supreme State!” Ruth said, making a face.

The rest of the girls nodded in mutual understanding. All of them were aware that Leon was the one who changed their lives altogether!

“Well, it’s getting late now, so let’s go to work!” Leon changed the subject and led the girls out of the house.

Chapter 1773

Elegante Group.

Leon, Iris, and Snow arrived at the office.

Now that Cynthion Group was properly set up and was well on the right track, Leon decided to focus more of his time and energy on Elegante Group. After establishing the Elegante Group, he would then shift his attention back to Cynthion Group.

Patience was a virtue, and nothing good came out of rushing things prematurely!

Since Leon did not return to work for a few weeks now, Iris gave him a quick briefing of the company in his office.

Elegante Group was flourishing lately— not only did they successfully tap into a new market in the Southern region, but they even soon grew to become a significantly large provider of cosmeceutical products in the region!

This far exceeded Leon’s expectations, and he was overjoyed at this.

Although he was not too adept at running a business, he could still tell that Elegante Group was going off to a strong start and had great potential to expand its market!

If things went according to plan, Elegante Group would eventually go off to become one of the largest cosmeceutical names in the Southern region based on their top-of-the-line products and great reputation!

“Thud, thud, thud!”

All of a sudden, Roanne knocked on the door and stepped into Leon’s office.

“Leon, Iris, the guards have notified me that a young lady is wishing to see you. She claims to be from Zeller Group, and wishes to talk about an opportunity to become Elegante Group’s proxy agent,” Roanne explained, smiling.

“Proxy?” Leon and Iris exchanged a glance and soon came to an understanding.

Cosmeceutical companies like Elegante Group had two means of doing business; the first method would be to work alongside large distributors, whereas the latter was to collabor

ate with smaller vendors, which would be the means of proxy distribution and online platforms.

Now that Elegante Group was gaining popularity in the Southern region, it was clear that Zeller Group noticed their potential and was seeking to become a proxy agent for their products!

“What do you think of this, Iris?” Leon turned to her.

“Um, I think we can sit through this meeting first! Judging by our growth, it won’t be long before other companies approach us for the same reason, and when that happens, we can have our fair share of options. for whom to go with!

“However, Elegante Group sells high-end makeup, and thus our proxy agents have to be major distributors with a strong foundation and good reputation. If not, it might reflect poorly on our company name! Therefore, I suggest we meet with this representative from Zeller Group first, and if they turn out not to be what we expected, we can always turn them down!” Iris said after some thought.

“Yes, I fully agree.” Leon nodded. Neither he nor Iris were from the Northern region and were thus not familiar with the area, so none of them were certain whether Zeller Group would meet the requirements they had. Therefore, it would be a better idea to meet with them first!

“Roanne, inform the guards and bring our guest to the lounge. I shall see her in there shortly!” Leon instructed.

“Alright,” Roanne murmured in response, then left.

Chapter 1774

Leon and Snow entered the guest lounge to meet with the president of Zeller Group, Julianna Song.

Julianna was a young, charming woman about Snow’s age, and not to mention she was easy on the eyes as well.

“Julianna, it’s you!” Snow was stunned to see her.

“Snow, what are you doing here?” Julianna was just as surprised to see her here.

“Oh, I’m the presidential assistant of Elegante Group,” Snow replied.

“I see!” Julianna stepped forward and grabbed hold of Snow’s arm in excitement, “It’s so great to see you!”

“Yes, it’s been five, maybe six years, hasn’t it?” Snow could not help lamenting.

“Do you guys know each other?” Leon was puzzled to see how close they appeared to be, even though it was their first time meeting the president of Zeller Group.

“Yes, Julianna and I went to college together,” Snow explained. She went to college in the Central region of Sky County, and Julianna was her classmate and roommate at that time. They were always close, but unfortunately, they lost touch after she returned to Springfield City.

“What a splendid coincidence!” Leon grinned. After their encounter with Gordon, he now knew that Snow went to college in Sky County, and thus was not at all surprised to see her running into another classmate in

town.

“Julianna, let me introduce you. This is our president, Mister Leon Wolf,” Snow introduced them to each other briefly.

“Nice to meet you, President Wolf. I’m Julianna Song, president of Zeller Group. It’s a pleasure to meet you,” Julianna greeted him, smiling.

“It’s great to meet you too, President Song. Please, sit.” Leon smiled, then gestured at the chair across from him.

“President Wolf, I apologize for showing up unannounced, but I intend to discuss the prospects of becoming a proxy agent for Elegante Group. I have here a folder of information regarding Zeller Group. Please feel free to flip through,” Julianna went straight to the point and handed Leon a folder of documents.

“Thank you.” Leon could not help beaming as he scanned through the documents Julianna prepared.

As he and Iris discussed, they intended to offer a few major distributors in the Southern region the opportunity to become Elegante Group’s proxy agent, to tap into the secondary business model!

Zeller Group was just the one they were looking for—they were a large, well-established distributor with a great reputation among the consumers, and fulfilled every one of their criteria!

“President Wolf, I wonder if there’s anything you’d like to say regarding our collaboration?” Julianna asked rather expectantly after waiting for Leon to finish reading.

“Yes, it sounds good to me! We can discuss the pricing and iron out the small details together, and if all sounds agreeable, Elegante Group will be happy to consider collaborating with Zeller Group!” Leon smiled but did not give her a definite answer.

“Well, that’s great! However, I have a special request to make before we jump to any conclusions,” Julianna said rather hesitantly.

“What is it?” Leon was puzzled to hear this.

“Well, Zeller Group expresses the wish to become the sole proxy agent and distributor of Elegante Group’s products,” Julianna said, revealing the true intention of her visit.

Chapter 1775

“What? Sole distributor?” the smile disappeared from Leon’s face when he heard this.

With the rate that Elegante Group was growing, he and Iris intended to work with a few distributors at once. The fact that Julianna was requesting this meant that she intended for Elegante Group to give up collaborating with other companies! This would not be working in Elegante Group’s favor at all!

“President Wolf, I know that this is a big request to ask of you, but if you’re willing to make Zeller Group the sole proxy distributor of your products, we can make a few changes in the pricing,” Julianna said earnestly. She had a natural eye for business, and although Elegante Group only began to gain popularity over the last few days, she could already tell that they had immense growth potential!

If she could get in on this before other companies did, it would no doubt be a huge advantage to Zeller Group.

However, the cake was only this big, and if Elegante Group were to collaborate with other distributors, Zeller Group would be left with the smaller slice of the cake, and this was why she wanted to convince Leon to give them the sole proprietorship!

“President Song, you know full well that this has nothing to do with the price. I can’t promise you anything,” Leon shook his head.

Since their main business model was to work with major market distributors like Hughes Group, giving the sole proprietorship to Zeller Group would undoubtedly break the bank for Elegante Group when they had the option of working with multiple proxy companies to maximize their profits!

Therefore, there was no way he could say yes to Julianna’s request!

“Please don’t be so quick to turn me down, President Wolf. The truth is, although Zeller Group holds a limited market in the Southern region, we pride ourselves on our extensive market, which spreads across the remaining four regions of Sky County. If you allow us to work with you, Zeller Group can help you expand your products into other regions of the county,” Julianna explained. She knew full well that Zeller Group would never be able to match up to Hughes Group or other major distributors in the region, but Zeller Group had a strong foundation with great resources.

One of their biggest strengths was their extensive marketing network. They would easily be able to help Elegante Group expand their market to areas outside of the Southern region, and this was something that not even Hughes Group could pull off!

“Um,” Leon could not help falling silent upon hearing this.

If Elegante Group were to flourish in Sky County, there was no doubt that he would eventually have to expand their business outside of the Southern region.

However, Elegante Group barely laid down its foundation here in the Southern region, and it did not yet have the resources to expand its business elsewhere.

If Zeller Group were to propel them ahead, this would no doubt advance leaps and bounds in their expansion, but the idea of handing over sole proprietorship to Zeller Group was unsettling.

There were pros and cons to each option, and Leon could not help getting caught in which was the best option for their situation.

Chapter 1776

“Snow!” seeing that Leon was beginning to waver, Julianna turned to glance at Snow with a pleading look.

Snow understood immediately. After a moment’s hesitation, she piped up, “Leon, Julianna’s a close friend of mine, and it’d be great if you could do her a favor.”

“Well, okay then! President Song, I’m doing this favor for Snow. I’ll hereby grant Zeller Group the sole proprietorship to carry Elegante Group products!” Leon soon came to a decision.

Now that Elegante Group just laid down its foundation in the Southern region, it had only a limited ability for production, and if Elegante Group were to work with multiple distributors at once, which included the all-powerful Hughes Group, Leon was worried that they would not be able to keep up with the demands!

Instead of this, it was better to offer Zeller Group sole proprietorship, which demanded only a little of them. Besides, Julianna would only be the proxy agent of Elegante Group in the Southern region, and by the time they expanded their business to the remaining four regions of Sky County, they could always find other distributors to help.

In conclusion, this would not have too much of an effect on Elegante Group at all!

Therefore, it would not hurt to help Julianna out just this once.

“Really? That’s amazing!” seeing that Leon relented, a smile broke out across Julianna’s face.

Of course, she knew that Snow was the only reason Leon gave into her request, and at the thought of this, she could not help casting Snow a glance of gratitude.

“Don’t get too excited just yet, President Song! I have another request— I’ll gladly hand over the sole proprietorship of Elegante Group’s products to you, but this will be limited to only the Southern region, and not applicable to the remaining four regions of Sky County or any online platforms,” Leon continued.

“Yes, I understand. All we want is a sole proprietorship in the Southern region. We’re fine with your other terms.” Julianna nodded.

“Also, we can go with the original distribution price of Elegante Group’s products. There’s no need to make any adjustments on your side, lest you lose your profits,” Leon added.

“Well, alright then. Thank you for this amazing opportunity, President Wolf.” Julianna was surprised to hear this but did not forget to thank Leon for his generosity. She already mentally prepared herself to compromise at least five points below her profit margin to agree with Elegante Group. This was the that was deemed acceptable for her and the company.

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Therefore, she never once dreamed that not only would she successfully win over Leon’s business, but even manage to stick to her original profit margin— Leon had no intention of trying to mark up Elegante Group’s distribution price at all!

This far exceeded her expectations, and so one could only imagine her excitement at this.

Of course, she understood that Leon’s generosity was likely Snow’s doing, and besides that, Leon was a wise businessman with the

end in mind. Therefore, he would not be too focused on the small details when they would benefit him in the long run.

At the thought of this, Julianna could not help growing even more confident of her decision to collaborate

with Elegante Group!

“Well, President Song, let’s start talking details,” Leon said, smiling.

“Yes, let’s do that,” she replied.

Then, with Leon and Snow’s help, she managed to iron out all the specifics of their deal, including the timing of distribution and details of their product supply.

With that, the two parties then signed an agreement to become official business partners!

“President Wolf, thank you—and Snow, too—for everything today. I wonder if the two of you will be free tonight for dinner? I’d like to buy dinner as a token of my thanks.” Julianna extended her invitation.

“Dinner? There’s no need for that! I appreciate your kindness, President Song, but this is a business deal that will benefit both of us, so you don’t have to go to so much trouble,” Leon turned her down, shaking his head.

“Don’t be so quick to turn me down, President Wolf. Snow and I haven’t seen each other in years, and this is also a great way for me to catch up with her over dinner,” Julianna added.

“Well,” Leon turned to glance at Snow hesitantly.

“Leon, since Julianna has kindly offered, let’s go out with her. I, too, would like to catch up with her,” Snow said.

“Well, alright then. Thank you for your offer, President Song!” Leon said, smiling.

“Okay, see you tonight!” Julianna grinned, then bade Leon and Snow farewell before leaving.

The Imperial Suites was one of the most luxurious five-star hotels in the Southern region, and this was where Leon and Snow were meeting Julianna for dinner.

Leon and Snow arrived at the designated time after work.

At this moment, Julianna already arrived and was waiting for them at the hotel entrance. Besides that, there was a tall, handsome man in his early thirties standing next to her. The two of them appeared to be close.

“You’re here, President Wolf, Snow!” Julianna and the handsome man approached them when they arrived.

“Sorry to keep you waiting, Julianna.” Snow smiled at her.

“It’s no bother. I arrived not too long ago,” Julianna replied, smiling.

“And this is—?” a puzzled expression crossed Snow’s face as she caught sight of the man next to Julianna.

“Oh, let me introduce you. This is my husband, Timothy. He’s the man behind Zeller

Group. Timothy, this is the president of Elegante Group, President Leon Wolf. This, on the other hand, is my old classmate from college, Snow Poole,” Julianna introduced them to each other.

“Nice to finally meet you, Mister Zeller.” Leon and Snow were in awe. Before this, they wondered why the Zellers, who were one of the oldest and most well-established families in the Southern region, would hand their company over to Julianna to handle, considering she was not even related to them. It turned out that she was none other than the wife to the heir!

“Pleasure to meet you too,” Timothy replied. As the young master of the Zellers, he was raised in luxury all his life and was no doubt a man of elegance and grace. However, when he laid eyes on gorgeous Snow, his breath could not help catching in his throat as he gazed in awe at her, his arrogant aura dissipating entirely. “President Wolf, Snow, I’ve already booked a private booth in the hotel for our meal. Let’s go in!” Julianna said as she led them into the building.

Leon, Julianna, and the rest slid into their seats in the hotel restaurant’s private booth. Julianna gestured for the waiters to serve their meal.

While waiting for their food, Leon and the rest engaged in cheerful conversation. However, Timothy seemed aloof and even somewhat distracted at times, not appearing to be interested in joining in at all.

The truth was, he was forced to attend this dinner meeting by Julianna.

On the one hand, she did so because she thought it would be more polite to invite her husband along, considering that Snow was her old friend and Leon was one of Zeller Group’s most important clients.

On the other hand, after her brief interaction with Leon, Julianna could tell that he was a wise visionary who had interesting opinions about the future of his company, whereas Timothy, on the other hand, was always impatient and too ambitious for his good. Therefore, she wanted to introduce Leon to her husband in hopes that he could learn a thing or two from him.

However, this was only Julianna’s idea, which Timothy did not agree to at all!

The Zellers were one of the oldest and most powerful families in the Southern region, and as the young heir to the fortune, Timothy always held high regard toward himself and did not think much of Leon and Snow at all!

Although Elegante Group steadily gained popularity over the past few days, they were still a newly-established company and had little, if any, influence in the market at all.

Julianna had a unique eye and had her sights set on Elegante Group as being a futuristic company full of potential, but Timothy did not agree; he did not think working with Elegante Group would bring many benefits to Zeller Group at all, considering they were not a local company!

If it were not for the fact that his grandfather and the other elders valued Julianna’s opinions greatly because of her talent in business, he would never have entertained her insistence to work with Elegante Group at all!

This was why he acted so arrogantly toward Leon and did not give him so much as a second glance!

“What’s going on with you, Timothy?” Julianna could not help asking when she sensed Timothy’s strange behavior.

“Nothing, I was just thinking about something else,” Timothy replied curtly.

“What is it? Are you still dreaming about Cynthion Group?” Julianna made a bold guess.

“Yes, in fact, you’re right!” Timothy nodded.

“Cynthion Group?” Leon echoed as he exchanged a glance with Snow. They were both looking puzzled, trying to figure out what Timothy was thinking about.

“That’s impossible! Cynthion Group’s Energy Nurturing Pills are in such demand that everyone wants to get in on it, but no one can! Besides, they are so popular that they don’t need any distributors to work with them! I think you should give up on trying to win them over!” Julianna advised him.

Ever since the success of Cynthion Group’s sales drive, many of the ancient families in the Southern region recognized the potential of Cynthion Group’s alchemical pills and were trying desperately to get a slice of this cake. They were practically fighting amongst each other to win over Cynthion Group in an attempt to obtain their proprietorship and expand their market to the other regions of Sky County!

The Zellers were no exception to this, but unfortunately, Cynthion Group’s pills were in such great demand that none of the companies, not even Zeller Group, could get their hands on their proprietorship!

Because of this, Julianna gave up on this fantasy, but she never once imagined that Timothy would still be holding onto it!

“I know that, but I heard through the grapevine a couple of days ago that Cynthion Group has manufactured a few million first-grade and second-grade Energy Nurturing Pills, which means they’re highly likely to be looking for proxy distributors to work with! If we can get our hands on this, it will not be long before we monopolize the entire industry!” Timothy said, the glint returning to his eyes.

He was fully aware that the Energy Nurturing Pills were capable of aiding martial artists in their training and thus, he who controlled the Energy Nurturing Pills thereby controlled the foundation of all martial arts training!

This was no doubt a huge deal—if Zeller Group could get their hands on the sole proprietorship of these products, not only would they be filthy rich, but their reputation would also significantly improve!

One could only imagine the magnitude of this, and he was not willing to give up as easily as Julianna did!

“Oh!” Leon and Snow finally understood what was happening. It turned out that Timothy tried desperately to get his hands on the sole proprietorship of the Energy Nurturing Pills.

This made perfect sense—Cynthion Group was far more powerful than Elegante Group and also influenced many of the other ancient martial arts families in the city. As one of the largest proxy distributors of the Southern region, it was natural for Zeller Group to want to get their hands in on this!

However, Leon was not only the president of Elegante Group, but Cynthion Group as well.

The irony was, Timothy tried so desperately to win Cynthion Group over when the president, whom he steadily ignored up until this point, was sitting right in front of him! Strange expressions crossed Leon and Snow’s faces at this realization.

“Ring—” All of a sudden, Timothy’s phone rang.

An expression of sheer joy crossed his face as soon as he got off the phone. It was as though he turned into an entirely different person altogether!

“Julianna, I have to go now. something urgent has come up!” he said, getting up to leave.

“What are you doing, Timothy? We’re in the middle of dinner, so where are you going in such a hurry?” Julianna quickly grabbed hold of him.

Leon was the most important client of Zeller Group at this moment, whereas Snow was one of her best friends in college. As the host, she and Timothy were obliged to socialize with them, but not only was Timothy acting very arrogantly, he even intended to leave halfway through dinner!

This was exceptionally rude and disrespectful to both Leon and Snow!

Julianna could not help feeling displeased at this and even began to regret her decision of inviting Timothy along.

However, it was too late now!

“Julianna, I just received some important news. Cynthion Group is finally deciding as to who they’ll go with for the proprietorship of their alchemical pills! I have to go over at once before it’s too late!” Timothy replied in a panic.

What?” Leon and Snow were both stunned to hear this, but especially Leon—he never once heard Cynthia mention her intention to offer sole proprietorship of the alchemical pills to anyone!

However, on second thought, Leon recalled that he focused much of his energy recently on Elegante Group and handed the full authority of Cynthion Group to Cynthia.

Knowing her, she probably had a good reason for doing so, and he could always ask her about this in the future!

“You can’t go, Timothy! I’ve already told you plenty of times that even if Cynthion Group finally opened up their sole proprietorship, there’s no way Zeller Group can even win them over! I’d suggest you pluck your head out of the clouds and see reality for what it is!” Julianna snapped. She knew full well that Cynthion Group was so powerful that they would not simply give out proprietorship of their products willy-nilly, especially not since there was such high demand for their pills.

Besides, Zeller Group was not the only proxy distributor trying to get their hands on Cynthion Group—plenty of their other competitors also had their sights set on Cynthion Group!

Zeller Group hardly stood a chance against these other companies, and in comparison, she would rather expedite the time and energy on Elegante Group!

Although Elegante Group’s influence was far lesser than that of Cynthion Group, she was certain that working with Elegante Group would surely bring great profit once they got on the right track!

This was a far more sensible option than Timothy’s idea!

Julianna did not wish to disrespect Leon and Snow just because of Timothy’s unrealistic expectations—this would not bode well for their future business relations!

“No! This is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity, and whether we get it or not, I won’t rest until I at least try!” Timothy said in determination.

Cynthion Group's pills were in such great demand previously that the president, Cynthia Shear, rejected everyone's offer to cooperate with them, but now, according to the news he just got, Cynthia finally agreed to hold a meeting with all the major proxy distributors to discuss proprietorship of their products. He guessed that it probably had to do with Cynthion Group's recent mass manufacturing—several millions—of Energy Nurturing Pills!

There was no way he would miss out on such an opportunity!

As for Leon and Snow—they were just representatives of a fairly new cosmeceutical company and were a far cry from Cynthion Group!

There was no way he would give up on the opportunity to work with Cynthion Group in favor of such an insignificant company!

"You can stay here and go on with the meal, Julianna! I'll be off now!" Timothy already made up his mind to leave and immediately turned to walk out the door.

"You—" Julianna was outraged by this but knew that there was nothing she could do about it.

"Mister Zeller, if you want to get your hands on the sole proprietorship of Cynthion Group's products, you should talk to Leon directly instead of going all the way there for nothing!" Snow finally could not take it anymore. She scoffed and could not help casting Timothy a displeased look.

She and Leon were their guests, after all, and not to mention she was the one who dragged Leon here for this dinner!

She could not believe how rude Timothy was behaving—he had no respect for either of them at all!

"What?" Julianna was stunned by this.

Even Timothy paused in his footsteps when he heard this shocking statement.

"What did you just say, Snow? We should talk to President Wolf directly if we want to obtain sole proprietorship of Cynthion Group's products. Why do you say so? Does he know some way to help us achieve that?" Julianna could not believe her ears.

Timothy was just as puzzled. He glanced dubiously first at Snow, then at Leon.

"Well, you have to ask Leon yourself, see if he's willing to help," Snow replied vaguely. She said that out of annoyance at Timothy's arrogance, but she was not certain whether Leon would be willing to offer them sole proprietorship or not—only he could make this decision!

However, since Julianna was her friend, she was willing to give her a helpful push in the right direction.

"Is that true, President Wolf? Can you help us obtain sole proprietorship of Cynthion Group's products?" Julianna asked rather nervously, a glimmer of excitement and anticipation in her ears.

Although she advised against Timothy trying to win over Cynthion Group multiple times, she could not deny that Cynthion Group was indeed a powerful and influential company to work with. If Leon was truly able to help, of course, she would take him up on his offer!

"Um, I'll consider it!" Leon replied calmly. He put two and two together and figured out that Cynthia probably decided to offer sole proprietorship to proxy companies because of his recent mass manufacturing of Energy Nurturing Pills.

Considering Julianna's connection to Snow and the fact that Zeller Group was one of the largest proxy distributors in the region, he could indeed consider offering a proprietorship to them!

However, Cynthia was the one in charge of this, and even if he wanted to do so, he needed to discuss it with Cynthia first!

Besides, his first impression of Timothy was a bad one as a result of his rude behavior, and thus he was reluctant to give Zeller Group what they wanted!

"Consider? What does Cynthion Group have anything to do with you, anyway? What on earth do you have to consider? Are you suggesting that Cynthion Group needs to go through you first before making any decisions as though you're the boss?" Timothy was amused by this. When he first heard Snow's statement, he thought Leon might be able to help obtain the proprietorship of Cynthion Group's pills, but now he realized that these two were just messing with him!

Why on earth would Cynthion Group need to go through a nobody like Leon for decisions like this? This was the funniest thing he ever heard in his life!

"You don't believe me?" Snow snapped when she sensed Timothy's contempt toward Leon. "I'll be frank with you—nobody gets their hands on sole proprietorship of the Energy Nurturing Pills unless they get Leon's approval!"

"Is that so? What nonsense! How dare you make such atrocious claims!" Timothy sneered. He learned some background information about Leon and Snow from Julianna, and considering that Elegante Group was a newly established company in the Southern region, he did not think these two were capable of making any huge influence in the business world!

However, he would not say the same for Cynthion Group—ever since the success of their sales drive, everyone in the region knew of Cynthion Group's connection to the Thompsons, and not only that but the two supervisors, Iris Young, and Cynthia Shear, were known as the Twin Beauties of the Southern Region and the object of many men's fancies!

There was no doubt that Elegante Group would never match up to Cynthion Group, and he would be a fool to buy into Snow's lies!

"Well, believe it or not, it's your call!" Snow was infuriated at not being taken seriously. She decided to give Zeller Group a helping hand on behalf of Julianna, but she could not believe that this was what she got in return for her kindness!

Not only did Timothy refuse to listen to her, he even continued looking down on Leon! One could only imagine her rage at this!

"Come on, Leon, let's go home," Snow said as she grabbed hold of Leon's elbow, intending to leave.

"Please don't go, Snow—" Julianna quickly tried to stop them. She invited them to dinner out of gratitude for them giving her a chance, but Timothy's rude attitude angered Snow and Leon to the point where they refused to stay even another second. She could not possibly let them leave just like that!

"President Wolf, Snow, I apologize for my husband's arrogance, and I beg you not to take his words to heart," Julianna said earnestly, but before she could even finish, Timothy interrupted her.

"Julianna, they're just upset because I saw through their lies and exposed them! You

don't have to apologize on behalf of me for embarrassing them!" he snapped.

"Can't you just shut up for a moment, Timothy?" Julianna snarled.

"I'm telling the truth! Well, why not this? Since they keep claiming they'd be able to help get our hands on Cynthion Group's sole proprietorship, why not they go with me to meet the president of Cynthion Group right now? I'd like to see what tricks they have up their sleeves!" Timothy said, sneering, and cast Leon and Snow a disdainful look.

"I'm not interested in any of this! Let's go, Snow!" Leon scoffed and got ready to leave. As generous as he usually was, this was the last straw!

"Why, are you two afraid now? you shouldn't have made such outrageous claims if you didn't mean it! Please take this as a lesson and stop embarrassing yourselves!"

Timothy snickered.

Okay, you said it yourself! They're meeting in the booth just upstairs. I'll bring you guys along!" Timothy said, sneering before Leon could even answer. It was as though he was worried that Leon and Snow would change their minds.

"What are you doing, Timothy? Are you trying to deliberately embarrass Snow and President Wolf?" Julianna exclaimed. The truth was, she had to admit that Timothy was right—it was unlikely that Leon and Snow were truly capable of doing what they claimed.

It was one thing to brag about something that was not true—she could easily let this slide, but she could not believe that Timothy was taking it too far and going to great lengths to embarrass Snow and Leon!

His insistence on bringing them along to the meeting with the president of Cynthion Group made it clear that he wanted to humiliate them in public!

This was getting out of hand!

"Julianna, they were the ones who agreed to go with me, so what did I do wrong?"

Timothy said nonchalantly. One thing was clear—every proxy distributor in the Southern region wanted to hop on the Cynthion Group bandwagon, and Zeller Group did not have much chance of outperforming their competitors and winning over Cynthion Group!

However, this was a great opportunity—Leon and Snow were being incredibly disrespectful to Cynthion Group, and if he brought them along to the meeting and humiliated them, he could claim credit from Cynthia and even leave a good impression on her!

That way, Cynthia would likely place Zeller Group as the priority when deciding which proxy distributor to go with!

This was killing two birds with one stone!

"Please, go ahead! Remember, you were the ones who asked for this, so you'd better not regret this!" Timothy snickered, trying to trick them into going along with his plan.

"We'll see who's laughing at the end of this! Come on, Leon!" Snow sneered, then followed Timothy out of the room.

Julianna had no choice but to follow.

A few young, well-dressed men were waiting in a luxurious booth just a floor above. They, like Timothy, were descendants of some of the most powerful families in the Southern region and owned the largest proxy companies in the area.

Since the demand for the Energy Nurturing Pills skyrocketed, they sent endless offers to the president of Cynthion Group, Cynthia Shear, to become business partners, but Cynthia turned all of them down!

However, the time finally came when Cynthia decided to accept their offer for a meeting!

Therefore, they immediately put down everything they were doing when they heard this news and rushed over here to meet her!

“Thud! Thud!”

All of a sudden, the door swung open, and Timothy, Leon, Snow, and Julianna strode in.

“You’re finally here, Timothy! You’re the last one to arrive!” the men said when they saw him. They were competitors among each other and thus never saw eye-to-eye, but since Cynthia specifically requested them to all be there for fairness, they had no choice but to all gather in the same room.

“Timothy, President Shear has requested us proxy distributors to be here, and just you alone will be enough, why did you bring so many people along?” they were displeased to see three other people standing alongside Timothy.

However, when they caught sight of Snow’s good looks, expressions of awe crossed their faces as their displeasure gradually dissipated.

“Well, these two are clients of Zeller Group, and they claim that they can obtain sole proprietorship of Cynthion Group’s products, so I brought them along to check things out,” Timothy explained.

“What? Is that true?” the men were stunned to hear this. They all poured in great effort to get President Shear to finally agree to a meeting, and even then, none of them could say for sure whether they could get their hands on the sole proprietorship or not! They could not believe that these two were making such atrocious claims! One would have to be an idiot to believe them!

“Did you hit your head or something, Timothy? These two don’t look familiar at all, and, likely, they’re not even in our field. How can you believe these two nobodies will be able to obtain sole proprietorship of Cynthion Group?” a man dressed in white replied, sneering.

“He’s right! Timothy, you can’t just pluck two random people off the streets and try to scare us! There’s no way they’d be able to help you get what you want! Get your head out of the clouds!” the others agreed with him.

They all thought that Leon and Snow were on the same team as Timothy.

“You’re all mistaken! I, too, didn’t think they’d be capable of doing this, but this is what they claimed. It has nothing to do with me at all,” he quickly explained.

“Oh, so it was all just their bragging!” the men gasped in realization.

“We’re not bragging! Just because you can’t get your hands on something doesn’t mean I can’t!” Leon replied calmly.

He did not intend to entertain Timothy at all, but he was dragged here by Snow out of sheer annoyance, and since he was already here anyway, he might as well give it all he got!

With that, he led Snow to a seat and plopped down in it, as cool as a cucumber.

“How dare you, you twat!”

“Who do you think you are, making such atrocious claims?”

“Go buy a mirror and look in it for once!” the men all snickered as they cast Leon glances of contempt.

Then, before Leon could even answer, Snow piped up, “What foolish men! Let me tell you this—if you want to work with Cynthion Group, you’d better show Leon some respect! If not, none of you are going to walk out of this room with the sole proprietorship!”

“What? Hey, gorgeous, it’s one thing for this dude to brag about something that’s not true, but you shouldn’t join in as well!”

“You’re talking as though he’s the one in charge of Cynthion Group—who on earth does he think he is?”

The men could not believe their ears. It was one thing for Leon to behave like this, but another thing entirely for such an attractive lady like Snow to do the same!

However, on second thought, they assumed that Snow was probably brainwashed by Leon into taking his side.

At the thought of this, they could not help feeling a little remorseful and a little envious of Leon for managing to bag such a gorgeous woman!

“Well, your loss! You’ll see later on!” Snow scoffed and decided to ignore them.

“Is that so? Well, we’ll stay tuned!” the men snickered and took no notice of Snow’s statement at all.

All of a sudden, footsteps rang out from behind them.

The door swung open, and Cynthia strutted into the room, wearing an expensive suit that made her look elegant and refined.

Spencer and Stephen trailed behind her, looking equally as sharp and formidable in their suits!

“It’s President Shear!”

“I can’t believe it. It’s no wonder she’s regarded as one of the Twin Beauties!”

The men quickly approached her in excitement. A few of them could not help letting out gasps of awe as they admired Cynthia’s beauty!

“Sorry to keep you all waiting,” Cynthia smiled. Her voice was as melodic as a songbird’s.

Since the men were all gathered around her, her field of vision was blocked and she did not see Leon and Snow.

“No, no, we just arrived not too long ago,” the men quickly replied, grinning as they tried to butter Cynthia up.

The better the impression they left on Cynthia, the higher their chances of succeeding in their task!

Of course I know him! How could I not, when he’s the president of Cynthion Group itself?” Cynthia replied solemnly, revealing Leon’s true identity once and for all.

“What? He’s the president of Cynthion Group? How’s this possible?” Cynthia’s statement was undoubtedly the most shocking thing Timothy and the other men heard that day.

Timothy was the most astonished of all—his entire body froze as though he was struck by lightning.

Up until now, he was under the impression that Leon and Snow were just bragging incessantly, and he never once imagined that not only did they tell the truth, but Leon would even turn out to be the famed president of Cynthion Group himself!

This was unbelievable!

“President Shear, are you mistaken? He’s just the president of a newly established cosmeceutical company here, so how can he possibly also be the president of Cynthion Group?” Timothy was still unwilling to believe his ears.

“Of course, I’m not mistaken! How would I—out of anyone—possibly commit such an idiotic mistake?” Cynthia replied sharply, displeased at being questioned like this.

“I—” Timothy’s heart sank at this.

Julianna and the rest of the audience were all gaping at Leon with stares of absolute disbelief. They finally realized that Leon and Snow told the truth all this while, all of them have naively underestimated Leon and refused to believe him!

“Cynthia, why did you choose to open up a proprietorship all of a sudden? Why was I not aware of this?” Leon asked, ignoring everyone’s stares.

“Oh, here’s what happened,” Cynthia began explaining her point of view.

Now that Cynthion Group successfully established its roots here in the Southern Region, it was only an eventuality that they would expand their business to the other regions in the future—this was the only way they could flourish!

Since Leon already manufactured millions of Energy Nurturing Pills a while ago, they finally resolved the issue of insufficient supply here in the Southern region, and this was why Cynthia decided to open up the Energy Nurturing Pills to the proxy distributors!

Several proxy companies in the Southern region had great connections in the other regions of Sky County, and if Cynthion Group could find someone reliable to work with, they could export the Energy Nurturing Pills to these places and establish their foundation there!

However, since Cynthion Group was not a local company, she was not too familiar with the candidates of proxy distributors available, and so she accepted their invitation for a meeting to meet them and get to know their background!

She did not intend to decide on a company to work with right this instant, which was why she did not tell Leon about this beforehand.

She was just trying to go through the selection process first and inform Leon of the decision after picking out two or three suitable candidates from the array of proxy distributors out there—the ultimate decision would still fall into Leon’s hands.

That way, she could spare Leon of the time and energy of having to go through the selection process himself!

“Oh, I understand now!” Leon gasped in realization.

“Well, since you’re already here anyway, Leon, I might as well hand over the selection process to you right now!” Cynthia said, smiling.

Timothy and the rest of the men gasped when they heard this and immediately approached them.

Chapter 1787

“President Wolf, please do forgive us for offending you just now. I sincerely hope you don’t take our naive words to heart.”

“Ford Group sincerely wants to work alongside Cynthion Group, and we hope that you will consider giving us a chance.”

“Yes, Gill Group feels the same way. Please, President Wolf, kindly take a look at this brochure for relevant information about our company.”

These men exclaimed, clamoring for Leon’s attention as they handed him the documents regarding their respective companies.

“President Wolf, this is all my fault, and I sincerely apologize to both you and Miss Pooole. Please consider offering your sole proprietorship to Zeller Group, on behalf of Julianna.” Timothy, too, quickly tried to make amends for his rude behavior. The earnest and rather demure smile on his face was a stark contrast to his arrogance just a few minutes ago!

“Zeller Group? Do you think that’s even possible now, Mister Zeller?” Leon scoffed. He agreed with Cynthia-it was certainly a good idea for Cynthion Group to open up their proprietorship to proxy distributors to expand their business to the other four regions.

Since Julianna was a good friend of Snow’s, he seriously contemplated the idea of giving priority to Zeller Group, but not only had Timothy doubted both him and Snow multiple times, he even attempted to humiliate them in front of everyone else!

This was way out of line, and there was no way he could offer sole proprietorship to Zeller Group anymore after this!

As for the other proxy distributors, they also looked down on him and Snow when they first arrived, and he still held a grudge against them over this.

“Thank you for feeling so strongly about working alongside Cynthion Group, but I’ve decided that we’ll no longer open up sole proprietorship to anyone for the time being! We shall discuss this again in the future should the need arises,” Leon declared calmly without even glancing at the documents that the men were brandishing in front of him.

Although opening up sole proprietorship would indeed benefit Cynthion Group’s future business expansion, there were still limitations in the mass manufacturing of the Energy Nurturing Pills, mainly due to a shortage of raw herbs, and thus the quantity that he managed to produce was only sufficient to meet Southern region’s supply.

Therefore, expanding their business to the remaining four regions of Sky County was not his priority and would not have too big of an impact on Cynthion Group for now should they fail to achieve that!

Besides, his first impression of these proxy distributors was severely lacking, and thus he decided not to go with anyone for now. Instead, he would consider it again once Cynthion Group hosted their second sales drive in the future!

“Come on, Snow, Cynthia, let’s go!” Leon said to them, then turned and left the room without even looking back.

“Um,” everyone’s faces were ashen as they watched Leon leave.

All of them were well aware that their poor attitudes offended Leon, which led to him deciding to give up offering the sole proprietorship!

If any one of them listened to Snow and chosen to treat Leon with more respect, they would have gotten their hands on Cynthion Group’s sole proprietorship by now!

However, they wasted such a valuable opportunity!

One could only imagine their shame and remorse at this, but it was too late now!

However, out of all of them, Timothy was the one who regretted this the most! Based on Julianna and Snow's connection, he could have easily gotten sole proprietorship of the Energy Nurturing Pills, but his arrogance cost him such a precious opportunity! He wanted nothing more than to slap himself across the face for this!

Chapter 1788

"Please don't go, President Wolf," Timothy was reluctant to let this go just like that. After a moment's hesitation, he decided to chase after them.

The next moment, he slid to a halt in front of the three of them and gave himself two hard slaps across his cheek. "President Wolf, this is all my fault. This is a gesture of making amends toward you. Please forgive us and give Zeller Group another chance," he pleaded.

How arrogantly he behaved just now determined just how demure he was now!

"No can do! I've already made it very clear that Cynthion Group won't be offering sole proprietorship to anyone for the time being. We'll talk about this again in the future!"

Leon ignored him entirely and did not even pause in his footsteps. Instead, he continued to make a beeline toward the exit alongside Cynthia and Snow.

"Oh no/ Timothy wailed, his face ashen. He knew that he severely offended Leon, and if he allowed Leon to leave right this instant, there would be no chance of Zeller Group getting their hands on Cynthion Group's sole proprietorship again in the future!

"President Wolf, I truly apologize for my husband's rude and disrespectful behavior, but I hope that you'll still consider working alongside us when it comes to Elegante Group," Julianna said, looking a little worried. She never once dreamed that Zeller Group would even be able to win over Cynthion Group in the first place, and so she never got her hopes up. In contrast, she would rather place her attention on working alongside Elegante Group, and she was concerned that Timothy's disrespect would cost her this precious opportunity!

This was the last thing she wanted to see!

"Don't worry, President Song, these are two separate issues, and since I've already decided to work with Elegante Group, I won't retract my decision!" Leon replied, smiling. He knew that this had nothing to do with Julianna at all-on the contrary, Julianna was kind and understanding throughout, and never once behaved rudely to either him or Snow. Therefore, he was not at all angry at her.

"Thank you, President Wolf," Julianna shot him a grateful smile as the weight lifted off her shoulders.

Leon did not spare another moment. Instead, he led Cynthia and Snow, as well as Stephen and Spencer, out of the restaurant.

The only people who remained in the room were Timothy, Julianna, and the rest of the guests.

"What a pity! President Shear finally agreed to offer sole proprietorship to us, and I can't believe how terribly it ended!" the heir to Ford Group exclaimed in remorse.

"Yes, it's all that wretched Timothy's fault! None of this would've happened if he didn't insult the president of Cynthion Group!" the heir to Gill Group replied rather indignantly, shifting the blame to Timothy.

"Yes, you're right! We didn't stand much of a chance of getting the sole proprietorship

anyway, so it doesn't even matter that much to us, but that idiot ruined such a great opportunity! What a moron!" the rest of the men agreed, all casting Timothy glances of disdain and contempt.

They all knew that Timothy was the one who brought Leon and Snow over, and so it was clear that he had some sort of connection to them before this.

All he had to do was grovel a little to Leon, and it would put him on a clear path to obtaining sole proprietorship of Cynthion Group's Energy Nurturing Pills, and yet he sabotaged his only chance of doing so!

Chapter 1789

"You!" Timothy's expression was dark when he heard this, but he knew that they were right.

After all, they were just spitting facts-he indeed cost himself a valuable opportunity by being arrogant and disrespectful!

"Well, let's not deal with that idiot anymore! Since President Wolf has already said that he'll consider opening up the sole proprietorship again in the future, let's go home and prepare for this so that we might stand a chance again in the future!"

"I agree. Let's go!"

The men all cast final glances of contempt in Timothy's direction before leaving.

Soon, the only people who remained were Timothy and Julianna.

"Rats!" Timothy's heart sank as he watched his peers leave. He knew full well that as long as Cynthion Group intended to expand their business elsewhere, they would eventually need to offer up sole proprietorship of their products, and when that happened, the other proxy distributors would stand an even better chance of obtaining it after what happened this time!

Whereas he, on the other hand, lost his one chance of winning over Cynthion Group because he offended Leon greatly!

One could only imagine his remorse at this!

"Timothy, I've already warned you many times, I that you should be more down to earth, but you refused to listen to me! If you took my advice earlier and treated President Wolf and Snow with respect, we could've gotten our hands on Cynthion Group's proprietorship by now!" Julianna said, glaring at her husband. However, there was undoubtedly a hint of regret in her glance.

Although she never once dreamed of getting their hands on Cynthion Group's sole proprietorship, she could not deny the fact that doing so would bring Zeller Group many leaps and bounds forward in their trajectory!

However, Timothy wasted such a valuable opportunity even when it was just dangling in front of his nose!

As understanding as she was, she still could not help feeling upset at him about this!

"I realize my mistake now, Julianna, but it's too late. There's no point talking about this anymore!" Timothy said bitterly.

"What do you mean, there's no point? It's never too late to turn over a new leaf! As long as you recognize your mistake and try your best to change, we still stand a chance of starting over in the future!" Julianna reassured him.

"A chance? Are you saying that we still have a fighting chance of winning over Cynthion Group?" Timothy could not believe his ears.

“Of course! Snow is one of my best friends, and I can always invite her to dinner again! As long as you show your remorse and apologize sincerely to her, I’m sure she’ll forgive you. When that happens, we have a chance of getting our hands on Cynthion Group’s sole proprietorship again!” she replied solemnly. She knew full well that Snow was the only reason Leon even agreed to meet them for dinner in the first place, and it was highly unlikely that Leon would ever want to do the same again. However, with her connection to Snow, she could still ask Snow out, and knowing her, Snow would certainly oblige!

As long as Timothy proved his sincerity and managed to make Snow forgive him, their problems would be solved!

“Well, you’re right! I promise I’ll apologize sincerely and make it up to her so that she’ll forgive me!” Timothy perked up in excitement as hope reignited within him once more. “Alright, alright. Let’s go home now! I hope you can take this lesson to heart and stop behaving so arrogantly in the future,” Julianna advised him.

“Yes, I’ll certainly change my old ways!” Timothy murmured in response as he followed Julianna out of the room.

Chapter 1790

The next few days, Elegante Group focused their energy on manufacturing, and with the help of Hughes Group and Zeller Group, managed to steadily grow their reputation within a short time.

Their efforts were like a snowball rolling down a slope, propelling them into a prosperous new stage of their development!

In a little over a week, Elegante Group created a formidable reputation for itself within the Southern region, and was even beginning to expand its business, showing signs of great prosperity!

Working alongside Zeller Group, they managed to gradually export some of the products to the other four regions of Sky County, opening a new market and establishing a strong foundation for their future!

Elegante Group successfully carried out its business plan and accomplished its goal, paving its way toward a bright future!

The General Manager’s office of Hiltons Corporation.

“Clang-”

A loud crack echoed through the air as Joel Hiltons, the heir to the company, picked up his glass and tossed it onto the ground in rage, smashing it into smithereens.

“Rats! Where the hell did this Elegante Group even come from? How did they even manage to gain such great traction in such a short time?” his expression was dark as fury raged in his eyes.

The Hiltons were one of the most powerful families in the Southern region, and Hiltons Corporation was the largest cosmeceutical company in the city!

Now that Elegante Group rose to power within just a month and even managed to expand so quickly, they had no doubt become a great threat to the Hiltons’ business!

“No! I can’t possibly allow Elegante Group to continue flourishing, otherwise, the consequences will be dire!” Joel declared, a glint of malice flashing through his eyes.

Although Elegante Group was still so new that their existence barely made a dent in Hiltons Corporation’s sales, he knew that at the rate Elegante Group was going, they

would eventually rise to power and become with Hilton Corporations in no time! When that happened, they would not become a great threat to the Hiltons' power, but even evolve into their biggest competitor!

This was the last thing he wanted!

Therefore, he had to find a way to get rid of the Elegante Group before they could rise to power!

"Thud, thud, thud!" all of a sudden, someone knocked on his door.

A few seconds later, a young, elegant man pushed open his door and strode into the room.

This man was none other than Seth Golan, the heir to the Golan family fortune, and who also happened to be Joel's cousin.

"What happened, Joel? Why are you throwing such a tantrum?" Seth asked, puzzled when he saw the shards of glass on the ground.

"Don't mention it any more! There's this new cosmeceutical company that appeared out of nowhere, called Elegante Group, and they're advancing so fast that they've already inflicted some damage on Hiltons Corporation," Joel stifled his rage and tried to explain as well as he could.

Chapter 1791

"Elegante Group? I've never heard of it! Cousin, it's just a small cosmetic firm. It can't possibly affect Hiltons Corporation's status! I think you're worried about too much!"

Seth said and did not see Elegante Group as a threat.

"You don't understand! It's not just an ordinary cosmetic firm. I don't know how they managed it, but they somehow persuaded Hughes Group to work with them, or it would've never grown so rapidly!" Joel said.

Hiltons Corporation was the head of the southern region's cosmetic industry. Since Elegante Group established itself in the southern region, Joel was informed about its corporation with Hughes Group.

In modern society, resources and platforms were crucial to businesses.

There were plenty of cosmetic firms in the southern region and Hiltons Corporation had nothing to fear from other companies, but Elegante Group was different.

It received great feedback for its product and Hughes Group's support was only stronger, which meant that Elegante Group would soon become a threat to Hiltons Corporation and that was what caught Joel's attention.

"I see!" Seth realized that he underestimated Elegante Group. "That's strange, though! What's so great about this company for Hughes Group to share resources with it? Is it run by some powerful figure?"

The Hughes were one of the most influential families in the southern region and they would have never agreed to work with Elegante Group if it had no powerful forces at work, which meant that there was a possibility that Elegante Group came from a unique background.

"I don't know about that! I wanted to call Darius and ask him about Elegante Group, but I don't know him in person and this is probably confidential information, so I'm sure he won't say a word to me," Joel massaged his temples in annoyance.

There were a total of five distributors in the southern region and Hughes Group was merely one of them.

The cosmetic products sold by Hiltons Corporation were distributed through a different company. Hiltons Corporation was not even a partner with Hughes Group, so it would be impossible for him to obtain any information from Darius.

"It's fine! I know Darius's brother-in-law, Gordon. I can call him and ask him about it! Maybe he knows something about this company!" Seth suggested.

"Oh? Really? Call him right now, then!" Joel urged excitedly.

One must know one's enemy and considering the potential of Elegante Group, Joel already decided to nip it in the bud. However, he would need to find out more about Elegante Group before doing anything; if a certain powerful family were behind Elegante Group, the Hiltons would suffer for attempting to destroy the company.

"Sure," Seth said, before making a call to Gordon.

Chapter 1792

"Hello, Mister Golan. Do you need something?" Gordon said as soon as he answered the call.

"Mister Bailey, I want information regarding Elegante Group. Do you know anything?" Seth asked.

"Elegante Group? Of course, I know that company!" Gordon conflicted with Leon recently.

Not only was he badly beaten, but he was also eventually forced to kneel and apologize to Leon and Snow, so the memories of the humiliation were still fresh.

"Great! Tell me everything you know about Elegante Group," Seth said and switched his phone to speaker mode so that Joel could listen to the conversation as well.

"Elegante Group is a small business that started in Springfield City. The chairman is a kid called Leon Wolf," Gordon explained.

"A company from Springfield City?" Both Joel and Seth were stunned.

They shot each other a shocked look as they thought that Elegante Group obtained the resources from Hughes Group because it was run by a powerful figure.

To their bewilderment, Elegante Group was only a small business that started in a small city, which made put it at the very bottom of the food chain in the southern region.

"Mister Bailey, if Elegante Group is just a powerless small business, why would Hughes Group offer it so many resources?" Seth asked in confusion.

"Well," Gordon was about to explain the connection between Leon and the Thompsons when he suddenly thought of something and decided against it.

Seth was a relative of the Hiltons and the Hiltons ran the top cosmetic firm in the southern region.

Elegante Group made itself the Hiltons' competitor by entering the southern region market. Gordon realized that the Hiltons were looking into Elegante Group's background to get rid of it.

Since Leon injured him and forced him to kneel and apologize, Gordon resented Leon and desperately wished to seek revenge.

If the Hiltons destroyed Leon and the Elegante Group, the humiliation he was put through would be avenged and that was exactly what he wanted.

"Mister Bailey, what's wrong? Why aren't you saying anything?" Seth asked.

"Oh, nothing! The collaboration between Elegante Group and Hughes Group is

handled by my brother-in-law. I know that Elegante Group is a small business that started in Springfield City, so I don't know much about anything else," Gordon said. The Thompsons were the most influential family in the southern region and if the Hiltons found out that Leon was connected to the Thompsons, they might not attack the Elegante Group. Hence, Gordon purposefully omitted the information to lure the Hiltons into eliminating Leon.

"I see. Alright, then. Thank you for your information, Mister Bailey,' Seth said, before ending the call.