

Chapter 63 Scandals

The next day, Marco awoke from his hangover. Through his daze, he could feel someone wiping his face.

Was Loraine taking care of him?

Wait, no. It couldn't be. Loraine was usually gentle.

Marco frowned and opened his eyes. There was a maid sitting on his bed.

"Mr. Bryant, you're awake," she said happily. "I made you soup, please have some."

Putting down the towel, the maid reached over to help him.

"Don't touch me." Marco instinctively dodged her hand. "Who let you into my room? Get out!"

The maid wanted to say something more but was frightened by Marco's cold stare. She surrendered and ran out of the room.

As soon as the door was shut, Marco collapsed back onto the bed, his head pounding.

He gingerly sipped at the soup, but spat it out immediately.

It tasted different from the soup he had before. What he felt like right now was Loraine's handmade soup.

In the past, he had gotten used to it. After the divorce, however, he found that nothing in his life was right anymore. Nothing was the same as when he was still with Loraine.

Now, he lost the woman who had loved him with all her heart and soul.

Marco was in a deep pit of despair when his phone suddenly vibrated, letting him know that there was a message.

Marco tapped the screen and a webpage appeared, showing a trending search topic.

According to the news, Elmo and Barr had been arrested for bribery.

But the headline read, "Marco Bryant's ex-wife meeting a senior government official at a high-end restaurant." A photo of them from the evening prior was attached below.

What the hell was going on?

Marco was shocked and angry. Meanwhile, the news about Loraine dating a senior government official was already going viral.

Since the story was related to the government,

the media didn't dare reveal Rowan's face in the photo. Only Loraine could be seen clearly.

It was a scandal involving bribery and a government official, and inevitably it would lead to more speculation about Loraine on the Internet.

The comments section beneath the story was brutal.

"It hasn't been long since Loraine was a trending search topic. What a drama queen!"

"This woman is really something. Her ex-husband is Marco, her boyfriend is Cayson, and now she's seeing a senior government official."

"I knew it. How else could Loraine get such a big project at such a young age? It's said that the Powell family got arrested for simply offending her. Who still believes that Loraine has no backer?"

The most outstanding comment was the one from Marina's own account.

"Finally you're all seeing her true colors. Loraine is a fickle woman! She's dependent on men and would do anything to get what she wants! It's lucky my brother divorced her. Otherwise our family would have been

sabotaged by her sooner or later!"

Due to previous events, Marina was now locked up at home. She had jumped at the opportunity to belittle Loraine.

Being Loraine's ex-sister-in-law, Marina made the news story appear more credible by commenting on it. It immediately ranked first among the trending news topics and received the most likes.

As soon as Marco saw what Marina had done, he cut off the Internet.

Predictably, Marina once again kicked up a fuss.

"Marco! It's because of that bitch that I'm stuck in here without Internet. You're killing me!"

In an attempt to make peace, Laura asked Marco to let Marina go.

The two women caused havoc in the Bryant family.

Marco ignored the noise at home, however. He ordered his men to delete the comment and put an end to the news.

While he was thinking of a way to delete the trending topic, Slater called.

"Marco, have you seen the news about Loraine?" he asked excitedly. "Did I do a good job?"

Marco's breath caught in his throat. "Did you do this?" he asked, shocked.

"Yes!" Slater was clearly proud of himself. "Do you feel better now?"

Marco snapped, "Slater, are you insane? Do you have any idea what you've done?"

Slater remained complacent. In his mind, he had defended his friend.

"Of course, I know what I've done. I just don't like that country woman, Loraine. When she married you, she was worthless. Now that she's divorced you, she's seduced many men. She even wanted to use Rowan to humiliate you. Not on my watch!"

Marco's jaw clenched from stress and anger. He couldn't believe what he was hearing.

In response to Slater's ridiculous reasoning, he asked, "Since you suspect Loraine of seeing Rowan, a senior government official, why would you dare plot against her?"

Slater wasn't bothered. "You know what kind of person Rowan is. Loraine is nothing but a divorced countrywoman. For people like Rowan, nothing is more important than status and reputation. There's no way he would risk all

that for Loraine. Believe it or not, once things get worse, he'll abandon Loraine."

Marco's face darkened when his friend belittle his ex-wife. "Enough!"

Slater heard him roar, and was confused.

"Marco, are you angry with me? Why?" he asked, bewildered. "I'm helping you deal with your scheming ex-wife. If Rowan is serious with her, you'll be in trouble!"


Marco felt a headache coming on and rubbed his temples. "It's not necessarily what you think."

Before he could finish, Slater interrupted him.

"Marco, you saw with your own eyes that Loraine was dating Rowan. How else can you explain this? She must have slept with him!"

Marco couldn't take any more. "Shut up!"



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