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Larry calmed down as he consoled himself.
"Really? You're the best, Dear!"
Joan was so elated that she jumped up and kissed Larry's cheek. All traces of sadness were gone by now.
When Larry saw her cunning gaze, he knew that she had tricked him, knowing that he would definitely agree.
"I can't believe I fell for your trap"
Larry sighed silently and let Joan drag him to the center of the plaza.
As everyone else danced to the rhythm of the music, Joan's body swayed gently as well.
"You should dance too."
"I won't!"
"Come on, dear."
"I refuse!"
Knowing that he had probably mustered up all his courage to accompany her here, she did not force him further. Instead, she started imitating the dance moves of the ladies around her.
Joan was smiling, looking like a beautiful angel. She wore a high-collared white sweater, which accentuated her long and beautiful neck. The skinny jeans revealed her perfect figure

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while a sweet smile was spread across her pretty face. Larry fell into a daze as he stared at her.

As long as I could make her happy, I couldn't be bothered about other things.

Watching Joan, who was learning the dance moves attentively, he smiled.

Even a man with such high standards like Larry fell into a daze watching Joan. So it was safe to say that the other young people at the plaza were staring at her too, attracted by her beauty.

However, when they spotted Larry standing beside her, they sighed silently.

Since she already had a boyfriend, they knew that they stood no chance.

Although most decided to give up, some foolishly courageous youths came to ask her out.

"Hello, beautiful. May I ask what your name is?" a young and shy youth walked forward and asked.

"I'm sorry, but I already have a boyfriend."

It was obvious that Joan wanted to ignore him. She simply pointed at Larry, so the young man would get the hint and leave.

"Well, we have the freedom to love. I have the right to pursue you too," insisted the youth stubbornly.

Then, he looked at Larry. "I want a fair competition with you."

Larry shrugged and smiled.

A cold glint appeared in his eyes, but he immediately concealed it.

He's just an ignorant child, so there's no need for me to be too riled up over him.

"How old are you?"

Joan found it amusing. He's probably not an adult yet, right?

"I'm nineteen already, so I'm an adult," replied the youth.

He even added smugly, "Besides, I already own my own Audi A6 car. Your boyfriend probably doesn't have a car yet, right?"

He threw a proud glance at Larry, wanting to make him feel guilty.

"Let's go, Larry."

Joan could not be bothered to talk to the youth anymore. After dancing for so long, she was also a little tired.

"Sure, let's go."

With that, he draped an arm over Joan's shoulders and was about to leave, ignoring the youth.

"I will never give up!" the youth yelled loudly, feeling slightly humiliated.

Although this small incident happened, none of them was bothered by it. As he was just a child, it was unnecessary for them to stoop to his level.

"Harrold, help me investigate this beautiful lady and the man's background," instructed the youth.

He was furious as this was the first-ever setback he faced.

"Why don't you just forget it? It's obvious that he's no ordinary man. Furthermore, they're a couple. What else can you do about it?" replied the old man who was standing beside the youth exasperatedly.

He knew that his boss was not evil by nature, but the young man had a tendency of doing nasty things like this.

"I don't care. I like that woman. Investigate them for me quickly!" The youth was reluctant to give up.

"There's no need for that. You can't touch that woman, nor can you provoke that man."

At that moment, a cold voice sounded.

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Both men, young and old, were taken aback.

"Who are you?" the young man yelled, feeling embarrassed

Ignoring the young man, the man spoke to the elderly directly, "You'd better watch this kid so that he doesn't offend people who are out of your league."

After that, the man disappeared into the crowd.

Seeing as the man showed him no mercy at all, the young man was prompted to go after him and argue further but was immediately held back by the elderly. "Let's just go home, Sir."

The old man didn't disregard the message conveyed by the man. Instead, he started giving careful thought to the identity of the couple they just saw.

After racking his brains for a long while, an image of a man became increasingly vivid in the old man's mind, and his features started matching that of the man he just saw. At that moment, he was overcome by astonishment with his mouth agape.

That was the president of Norton Corporation, Larry Norton!

As a shiver crept down his spine, the old man quickly yanked the young man and walked away.

It's time to really discipline this kid. If he spouts out anything inappropriate again, the entire family might be done for!

It turned out that the man who just warned them was none other than the leader of Larry's bodyguards, Caspian.

As Larry's personal bodyguard, Caspian always kept him safe by following him around closely.

Especially since Larry and Joan were taking a stroll that day, he was even more meticulous and kept a close watch on their surroundings at all times, which was how he noticed what happened just then.

"That kid must be mad."

Caspian felt that the young man was not in his right mind. Otherwise, why would he try to steal someone else's girlfriend?

Fortunately, Mr. Norton was in high spirits and didn't mind what he had done, or else that kid would have been dead meat.

After resolving the hiccup, Caspian continued to follow Larry and Joan from a distance, protecting them dutifully.

Larry and Joan wandered around for a long time, and eventually, they went home when Joan got a little tired.

While Larry and Joan were leading their humdrum yet romantic life, Gabriella, on the other hand, was having a rather difficult time.

Not only was she infuriated by the news about the engagement between Larry and Joan which spread like wildfire a while ago, but Ward Group also seemed to have faced some issues as well.

Their business faced oppression from a large number of companies and enterprises, and Gabriella's father, Landon, was so bogged down with the company's affairs that his attitude toward her changed for the worse. He even lashed out at her that day.

Gabriella was greatly aggrieved. Why is Dad venting his anger on me?

Little did she know that the difficulties the Wards were facing at the moment were brought about by her.

Back then, to relieve his daughter's frustrations, Landon canceled a huge collaboration with Norton Corporation on impulse. The negative impact resulting from his decision started emerging slowly after some time.

First of all, the Wards incurred a huge loss from the termination of the collaboration, and he thought he would be able to find another collaboration partner soon. After all, there used to be many enterprises competing to work with the Wards on that project, but Norton Corporation came up with much better terms, which prompted Landon to choose them as the group's collaboration partner.

Nevertheless, when he tried to find other companies to work with, he found that there was no company willing to work with Ward Group anymore.

Currently, Ward Group was overloaded with an enormous amount of products without any wholesaling or retailing channels to sell them.

Landon was extremely distressed, but he couldn't really figure out what went wrong.

Other shareholders of the company began to pressure him as the decision to withdraw the collaboration with Norton Corporation was made by Landon. If the problem could not be resolved, they would jointly decide to remove Landon from the chairman position of Ward Group.

Landon was particularly remorseful about his previous impulsive decision, and he happened to bump into Gabriella that day. Hence, he flat-out jumped at Gabriella when he saw her.

For that reason, Gabriella was still brooding on the sofa right then.

Out of the blue, her phone chimed, and Gabriella took a gander at it just to find that it was a notification from the group chat with her high school classmates.

It was the day of their annual gathering. In the past, Gabriella had never been present at the gathering as she felt that such occasions were too lowly for someone with a superior status like her. Therefore, she always turned them down with some made-up excuses.

However, right then, she was in such a bad mood that she felt like she could use a little distraction and attend the gathering to soothe her nerves.

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The gathering would be held in the afternoon at one of her high school classmates' abode, which was not very far away from her home. Without much hesitation, Gabriella agreed to be present.

In the afternoon, Gabriella arrived at the classmate's house as promised. Just as she entered the house, everyone was captivated by her.

Gabriella was in a low-cut mini dress whereby a large area of her porcelain skin was exposed, and her hourglass figure was accentuated.

Even though the makeup on her face was heavy, she still looked very elegant and graceful.

In her high heels, Gabriella strutted like a peacock and paced into the middle of the crowd.

Even though she was having a hard time recently, Gabriella was still undoubtedly the most eye-catching person among her high school classmates.

Elated, Gabriella enjoyed the instance when all eyes were fixated on her, and it distracted her from all the recent chaos in her life and helped her regain her self-confidence.

Seeing as Gabriella was approaching, those who were engaged in casual chats, especially men, drew themselves closer to her simultaneously. There was a fervently expectant glint glowing in their eyes.

"Gabriella, you're here. You're still as beautiful as before."

"You've grown so much prettier, Gabriella. You look so graceful."

"Have you found a boyfriend? The man who marries you in the future must be one lucky man!"

All the flatteries from everyone around her put a contented smile on Gabriella's face.

She was still the goddess in everyone's eyes. Joan, you're no match for me!

Gabriella's arrival certainly drove the gathering to its culmination. At that moment, she was surrounded by many of her male classmates. However, seeing that she was nonchalant to everyone, they gradually walked away. Only one man remained at Gabriella's side, and he was Carl.

The moment Gabriella walked into the house, Carl's eyes lit up instantly.

Even when they were still in high school, Gabriella had been his dream girl, and he had always wanted to pursue her.

For one, Gabriella was indeed gorgeous and alluring. If he succeeded in courting her, he would be guaranteed a wonderful time with her.

Secondly, the Wards were affluent and powerful. Furthermore, Gabriella was Landon's only child. If he managed to get Gabriella, it would be as good as getting hold of Ward Group.

Carl came from a rather mediocre family. Therefore, with a rags-to-riches opportunity in front of him, how could he ever let it slip past him?

Unfortunately, even as he racked his brains to please Gabriella, his efforts were in vain, and Gabriella was totally uninterested in him. Hence, he had no choice but to give up in the end.

Meeting Gabriella once again at the gathering, the dissipated desire within him flared up once more. Moreover, Carl had also received news of what happened to Gabriella of late. Knowing that she wasn't exactly in the best shape, he felt that he was being gifted another chance.

"It's been a while, Gabriella. I missed you so much. There has never been a minute that I don't think about you since high school. It's so good to see you again!" Carl said to Gabriella in a very cringy manner, seemingly desperate to seize this golden opportunity to win her over.

"Carl, it's been a long time. I appreciate that you still remember me, but just like before, I still have no feelings for you," Gabriella replied coldly.

You, of all people, are trying to be with me? You're reaching way above your station.

Gabriella kept that within herself, but the contemptuous look on her face said it all.

"Gabriella, why can't you just accept me? I'm the person who loves you the most." Carl didn't mind Gabriella's attitude toward him and continued to pester her.

"I told you before that I don't like you, and I never ever will."

Gabriella was losing her patience. "Do you understand?"

"How can you be so certain, Gabriella? Interests and feelings can be cultivated over time. You may not like me now, but maybe you will someday."

Carl chased after Gabriella, unwilling to give up just yet.

"Gabriella, why don't you just give me a chance? Perhaps you'll see the good in me later. Gabriella, say something. Are you thirsty? Let me get you a drink, alright?"

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Relentlessly, Carl continued his prattling. However, at that point, Gabriella was exceedingly irritated to the extent that she wasn't even willing to say a word.

"Enough, Carl!"

Finally, Gabriella couldn't take it anymore. Fumed, she bellowed, "Why don't you take a look at yourself? Do you really think you're good enough for me, huh? With such status and appearance of yours, things will never work out between us!"

Disdain and scorn were written all over Gabriella's face, and as she looked at Carl, her eyes were filled with derision and mockery.

The penetrating glint in her eyes pierced directly through Carl's heart. Cheap tart, I'll make you beg for mercy between my legs one day!

Despite his thought, Carl kept his composure and didn't let it show via his expression.

Gabriella's brutal words didn't stop him, nor did they make him retreat. Instead, his harassment became even more intense.

"Gabriella, I don't care how you perceive me. My love for you is genuine! I've heard about the troubles you encountered recently. I'd say that a man like Larry is really a blinded fool. How can he not cherish such a perfect woman like you? I'm sure he'll regret it sooner or later!" Carl expressed himself eagerly. The way he gazed at Gabriella was notably keen and affectionate.

In fact, Gabriella was deeply affected by the last sentence Carl uttered.

Larry is indeed blind, which is exactly why he fell for that wretch Joan. At some point in the future, he'll definitely regret it and come begging for my forgiveness!

At that thought, Gabriella stopped pulling a long face. Out of the blue, she even felt that Carl wasn't that annoying anymore.

The change in Gabriella's expression was fully captured by Carl. In his mind, he was cursing Gabriella for indulging herself in her whims. Between his lips, however, sweet talks were spurted non-stop.

"Gabriella, trust me. I'll do anything for you, as long as you promise to be with me."

Carl's voice was honeyed and filled with temptation. It sounded as though he would even be willing to pluck the stars for Gabriella if she agreed to his request.

"Are you really willing to do anything for me? Anything at all?"

Upon listening to what Carl said, an idea that targeted Larry and Joan occurred to Gabriella.

Carl was in a daze as he didn't expect to see a change in Gabriella's attitude so soon. He thought that it would take some time for Gabriella to finally give him her word. Immediately, he exclaimed in joy, "Of course! As long as you're willing to accept me, I'll agree to whatever you ask me to do, even if it means going through fire and water!"

"Well, if you can complete this successfully, I'll consider accepting you."

Thoughts and ideas whirled in Gabriella's mind, and a smile crept up on her face.

"Go on, Gabriella. What is it?"

Happiness came too suddenly, and Carl was still in a trance-like state.

If Gabriella does give me an opportunity, I will find ways to sleep with her and set it in stone so that she has no choice but to accept me in the end.

Then, when the time comes, I'll be able to get a piece of the pie of the Wards' family business.

Carl was getting even more excited and couldn't wait to get started on Gabriella's task for him.

"Are you aware of the engagement between Larry and Joan? You should know that I hate Joan to the core now. Aren't you a smooth talker? Since you can come up with all sorts of flatteries and sweet nothings, I want you to set Joan up and sleep with her. I don't care how you do it, and it's not necessary for you to really sleep with her as long as you can convince people of your romantic involvement with her and send me some intimate photos of you two together." Gabriella wrapped it up and turned to Carl.

"You're asking me to hook up with Joan? But I'm afraid it'll be difficult for me to get past Larry."

Even though Carl would do everything he could to capture Gabriella's heart, that didn't mean he was an idiot. The power Larry and Norton Corporation held wasn't something he could contend with.

"I won't force you into doing it. The decision is entirely up to you, and my stance remains the same. If this is successfully done, I'll consider being with you." Gabriella's tone was full of temptation.

Using Carl as my cat's paw to settle this matter and detaching myself from it at the same time, what a flawless plan I have. Gabriella couldn't help boasting in silence.