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Chapter 591 Fights

Skylar recalled seeing Kate and Amelia wearing couple rings and that had deepened her suspicion. There were some shocking dark sides of the entertainment industry where people would pretend to be queer in order to get what they wanted.

She continued saying, "I can't always appear to have it all, can I? Previously, Amelia had never had any endorsement deals, not even for an electric bicycle. So, it's not surprising to give this contract to her now."

Hannah fretted. "I'm afraid Amelia will replace your status in the industry. You know, the Golden Eagle Awards is just around the corner. Amelia is getting some high-end labels to customize her gown, but there's no news from your sponsors yet. How are you going to beat her on the red carpet?"

Right then, the director had started urging everyone on set to take their places and get ready. Swiftly, Skylar buttoned up while Maxim lay on the bed with a casted food.

Skylar took the props handed to her. It was a basket filled with two cans of fruits, yellow peach, and hawthorn.

In the past, those were the standard must-bring items when visiting a patient. Now, it was expected for visitors to add a card or a love gift as an additional courtesy.

Maxim was sent to the hospital due to an injury that occurred during a basketball match. He was cared for by his childhood sweetheart, Renee Crowe, played by Ingrid.

Skylar played the female lead character, Lindsay, who was jealous when she saw Maxim and Renee showing affection to each other. Lindsay forced Maxim to choose between the two women and the man chose love.

"Action!" yelled the director.

Within a split second, Skylar had entered into her role. Batting her entrancing eyes and dressed in a pompous manner, she made the b*tchy character come alive.

Except for Ingrid, everyone who was present on-set thought that Skylar was extremely gorgeous. She was nothing like the newbies who were amateurish in their acting and coy about their appearances. Her demeanor and mannerisms were beyond her age.

That was probably why people say, "A child from a poor family often matures at an early age."

Ingrid stared at Skylar blankly. I guess I know now why Tobias has stayed with her for such a long time. She has an exceptional physical appearance... Ingrid turned green with envy.

Throughout the shoot, Ingrid had to repeat multiple takes of each scene because the director was not satisfied with her articulation. He was seriously considering dubbing her voice, but Ingrid insisted otherwise. She felt that her intonation was better.

Due to the fact that Ingrid invested in the production of the filming, the director acquiesced to her demand.

After eating the canned fruits umpteen times throughout the series of failed scenes, Maxim had been going back and forth, to and from the bathroom a few times. He complained, "Director, I can't do this anymore. I'm going to suffer from a stomachache."

Skylar observed from a distance and checked the time on the wall clock on and off. If this drags on, I won't be able to get off work on time to meet with Miranda.

Knitting her brows, Ingrid threw a tantrum and reprimanded Skylar, "Can you speak more slowly? You need to give me time to respond."

Skylar pointed at herself and questioned, "Are you implying that it's my fault?"

"If it's not you, then who? Do be more professional and don't delay others." Ingrid cast a look of haughty disdain.

Skylar was rendered speechless. She recalled a reminder from Tobias to keep her distance from Ingrid. He told me that Ingrid isn't doing well mentally and emotionally. Seems like she's having it worse than Cassidy.

Faced with Ingrid's appalling behavior, Skylar could not be bothered to argue with her. One shouldn't lose one's dignity and self-worth by engaging in meaningless fights with a fool. Karma will hit her one day for all the outrageous things that she's done.

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Chapter 592 Waiting To Devour Her

All Skylar wanted was to finish the shoot as soon as possible. To her, that particular movie had achieved its fullest potential and it could no longer bring her greater value. In fact, she felt that her popularity was being taken advantage of. If Kate keeps doing this, I will have to come up with something.

She continued to demonstrate a steady performance for the subsequent scenes. She had a superbly strong foundation in communicating her acting lines clearly. Even the boom operator enjoyed listening to her.

Had it not been for Ingrid's terrible acting, the director would not have wasted the entire afternoon on just a few simple scenes.

Hannah had Skylar's phone with her and it kept on ringing. During break, she handed the phone to Skylar. "Mr. Ford has been looking for you. He's made more than ten calls."

Skylar was shocked. Did Tobias get the wrong number? Usually, he'll only make one more call if he couldn't get me the first time. He's never made a series of calls.

Worried that something might have happened, she called back.

When the line was connected, Tobias grumbled, "Why didn't you answer my calls?"

Skylar explained, "I was filming and the phone was with Hannah. I just noticed your missed calls. What's wrong? Is there something urgent?"

Tobias requested for her to make a trip to the Central Hospital, where Thomas was hospitalized.

Stunned, many questions crossed her mind. Why is he at the hospital? How did Tobias find out about this? Did the Joneses contact Tobias?

Reluctantly, Skylar went. She once swore that she would never shed a tear even if Thomas died. Therefore, she was rather calm upon hearing the news.

She was sick and tired of her father. In fact, she felt disgusted when people told her blood was thicker than water.

When she arrived at the hospital, she saw many of the Joneses at the hallway, including the grandparents whom she had hardly ever met.

As soon as Tobias saw her, he hugged her tightly. "He's still in the emergency. I'm not sure if you'd want to be here, but it's only right that I inform you about this."

Leaning in his arms, she asked, "What happened? Why was he taken into the emergency room?"

Before Tobias could answer her, Irene spotted Skylar in the midst of the relatives, and she ran to her like a madwoman. She yelled hysterically, "I'm telling you now. I won't forgive you if anything happens to him. It's all your fault! You're a jinx."

It was never Tobias' wish for Skylar to go through an awful family feud. However, he had no choice but to inform Skylar when he learned that Thomas might not survive this episode. He did not want Skylar to live with regrets although he was not exactly sure if both the father and daughter had a good relationship with each other.

Blocking in front of Skylar, Tobias uttered sternly, "Now it's not the right time to be talking about this. What rights do you have to say these to Skylar? I dare you to lay a finger on her."

Hayden approached them and held Irene while staring daggers at Skylar.

Suddenly, Skylar became the main target of accusations and criticisms amongst the Joneses. Yet, she had not the slightest clue what was going on.

She was completely baffled at the condemnations received. What gives? Why am I responsible for whatever that's happened to Thomas?

When the crowd retreated, Tobias enlightened her, "After your father admitted to committing adultery as well as abandoning his wife and child, the paparazzi have been invading into his privacy to discover more juicy news. Bearing a bad name, he suffered from tremendous psychological pressure and drank pesticide to end his life. They're trying to rescue him now."

Pursing her lips, she fell silent. She had never expected Thomas to be so feeble and ending up committing suicide.

It was a rare occasion for Skylar to meet all of the Jones family. However, they sharp, unfriendly gazes were fixated on her, as if they were ready to devour her.

