

## A Beauty With Multiple Masks Chapter 1606

### Chapter 1606 Not In Favor Of The King

“Sannie, I’m just worried about you and Vinson, but if duty calls, I’ll not stop you two from leaving.” Susanne looked at her and continued, “But I want you and Vinson to take good care of yourselves, and please watch out for your safety. You two are my children. I’d be devastated if something bad happens to any of you.”

Arielle was touched by her words. “Thank you, Mom. Don’t worry. Vinson and I will return in one piece. I promise,” she replied, her heart and voice brimming with gratitude.

Susanne said nothing in return and merely stroked her daughter-in-law’s hair gently. A corner of Vinson’s lips quirked up when he came downstairs and saw their interaction.

“Vinson, Sannie said she faced two assassination attempts in Turlen. Make sure you protect her since you’re going to be with her,” Susanne exhorted her son as soon as she saw him coming downstairs.

The man responded with a smile of resignation. Come on, Mom. That goes without saying.

“Don’t worry, Mom!” he reassured.

While the three were having small talk, Susanne suddenly asked about the political situation in Turlen. She then learned that Arielle’s father was fighting for power against her grandmother. Upon finding out that Dylan was at a disadvantage at the moment, she began to worry.

“Wouldn’t he be helpless now that you two are away?” Susanne became even more anxious the more she thought about the matter. “Since my injuries have mostly recovered and Vinson has deployed people to protect me, you two should head back to Turlen as soon as possible!”

“It’s all right, Mom. There’s no need to leave in a hurry. I wish to bring a few doctors along as there’s a shortage of medical support in Turlen. It’s my dad’s wish to hire a few Chanaanese doctors and bring them over,” Arielle said while holding Susanne’s hands.

“I need to bring some men over as well. It’s difficult for us to do anything when we don’t have our people to mobilize,” Vinson chimed in.

Susanne decided not to voice her opinion anymore since the couple had plans in their minds. Despite having urged Vinson and Arielle to get back to Turlen to support Dylan, deep in her heart, she still wished they could spend a few more days with her. Once they leave, I know I won’t be able to see them in the next few months.

Meanwhile, at the palace in Turlen, Sybil stood before Dylan's desk with a grim expression.

"Your Majesty, we do not have the upper hand in the current situation. General Matthew and the others have decided to support the queen mother."

Dylan's expression was dark. Though he had gradually regained some power in the last two years, no one dared to side with him, afraid of offending Nancy as she had always been Turlen's ultimate decision maker.

This country belongs to my family. Those who continuously pledge their support for the queen mother must be blind!

"I've heard you!" Dylan massaged his temples as he was experiencing a migraine.

At the same time, Lawrence invited Harvey over to the Wynter residence to analyze the political situation in the country.

Harvey's eyes were dark as he explained, "The current development is not in favor of His Majesty!"

The young man was bewildered by the limited power and resources that the king of Turlen had at hand. In other words, the king was nothing but a puppet monarch.

Lawrence bobbed his head in agreement. "That's why I wanted to discuss this with you. Are there ways for us to build up Dylan's support so that he could rival the queen mother?"

Harvey narrowed his eyes when he heard the question. That's a tough row to hoe.

"Since General Matthew belongs to the queen mother's camp, let's convince him to support His Majesty," he proposed.

Lawrence instantly shook his head.

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### Chapter 1607 Canceling The Collaboration

"Sybil said His Majesty did try approaching General Matthew, but he's still on the fence. It seems that he intends to adopt a neutral stance." Seeing the puzzlement on Harvey's face, Lawrence explained to him to give him a clearer picture of Matthew's standpoint.

Yet, Harvey still thought it was worth a shot. "Take me to General Matthew. I'll have a chat with him. If I'm able to change his mind, His Majesty will benefit greatly from his support," he said while staring at Lawrence.

Lawrence paused for a moment and went deep in thought. I suppose we can give it a shot. There's nothing to lose even if the discussion falls through. But if everything goes well, His Majesty will gain a strong ally.

Since they had made up their mind, he immediately brought Harvey to visit Matthew. While they were about to leave the living room, they bumped into Kelly and Sonia.

"Father, where are you going?" Sonia could not help but ask Lawrence when she saw he was about to leave the house with Harvey.

Kelly, too, looked at the two men and frowned.

To that day, she still had yet to develop a positive impression of that young man. Alas, she could only keep her thoughts to herself since her husband and daughter were fond of him.

"There's something we need to attend to right now. You should stay at home and accompany your grandparents. You've been away for quite some time, and they missed you dearly," Lawrence said to Sonia.

He knew his daughter would sneak out of the house had he told her to accompany her mother. That was because Kelly had yet to accept Harvey as her future son-in-law.

Sonia immediately agreed to stay back upon hearing that her grandparents missed her. Still, she was worried about Harvey when she recalled that he was a Chanaean and was unfamiliar with Turlen. Hence, she smiled at Lawrence and said, "Father, Harvey doesn't know much about our country, so please take good of him."

At that, Lawrence looked at his daughter. She's not even married to him, yet her world seems to revolve around this lad.

"I will!" he responded and then left the house with Harvey.

After the two men left, Sonia glanced at the grim-faced Kelly. She could not help but feel uncomfortable when she remembered how her mother insisted on having her abort her child back then. Nevertheless, she could not simply ignore Kelly since the latter was her mother who birthed and raised her.

"Mother, I'm going to keep Grandpa and Grandma company now," Sonia said and left without waiting for her mother's reply.

Kelly knew Sonia was dissatisfied with her because of their argument over the abortion and how she had tried to matchmake her with Aaron. Wordlessly, she glanced at her daughter and returned to her room.

Meanwhile, Nico sat on the swing at the Nighy residence with a downhearted expression.

She had been trying to track Vinson's whereabouts but to no avail.

All of a sudden, she seemed to recall something and immediately made a call.

"What is it?" Aaron, who was at Paelsford Manor, answered her call icily.

Nico was not bothered by his attitude.

"Your Royal Highness, do you have Mr. Knightley's contact details? I've been looking for him in the last couple of days, but I couldn't find him no matter how hard I tried," she said and sighed. Her tone was filled with disappointment.

Aaron's face darkened at the mention of Vinson.

"Our collaboration is canceled from today onward," he said indifferently.

Upon hearing that, Nico knitted her brows. He's canceling our collaboration? Why?

She promptly asked, "What do you mean, Aaron? Why are you canceling our collaboration out of nowhere?"

Before Aaron could respond, Nico covered her mouth as though she seemed to have recalled something.

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### Chapter 1608 Regret Marrying Him

How did I forget about the fact that Arielle had passed away? Nico smacked her own forehead in annoyance.

Before Aaron could answer her, she quickly said, "Call it off, then!"

Aaron hung up without replying to her.

When Nico realized Aaron had already hung up the phone, she sighed. Where else can I get information on Vinson?

After hanging up the phone, Aaron sat on the couch with a long face. Suddenly, he seemed to have remembered something, so he got up and went to the palace. After staying over at Nancy's for around two hours, he left.

He then went to see Celeste.

Ever since he left, it had been a few days since he had last seen her.

Hence, Celeste was over the moon when she saw Aaron visiting her.

She had returned to her senses after what had happened to Aaron, and she had been prioritizing him over herself.

“Have you not been looking after yourself? Why have you become skinny?” Celeste asked worriedly.

Upon hearing those caring words, Aaron’s long face turned into a smile. “I haven’t become skinny!”

Despite his words, Celeste could tell Aaron hadn’t been eating well, and he looked skinnier than the last she saw him.

“Would you like to stay and have dinner with me?” Celeste added, “If you’re busy, you don’t have to.”

Aaron nodded when he realized he hadn’t had a meal with Celeste in a long while.

Celeste was elated when she saw his response.

“Have a stroll around the palace, okay? I’ll make some of your favorite dishes.” Celeste got up and went to the kitchen. Aaron wanted to stop her, but he didn’t.

Delighted, Celeste went to the kitchen. Aaron, on the other hand, got bored and went out for a walk.

Without realizing it, he arrived at Dylan’s palace. He then halted in his tracks and was about to leave. Right then, he saw Sybil sending a man out. That man was the Earl in charge of immigration.

Aaron’s gaze darkened. Has Father garnered support from the Earl?

With his narrowed eyes, he stared at Dylan’s palace for quite a while before returning to Celeste’s palace. As he sat on the couch, he kept thinking about Dylan. He was so deep in thought that he couldn’t even hear Celeste calling out to him.

“Aaron?” Celeste waved her hand in front of Aaron, and he snapped out of his daze and asked, “What is it?”

Celeste frowned and said, “What were you thinking about? I have been calling out to you, and you didn’t even react.”

Aaron knew exactly what was on his mind when he didn't hear Celeste's callings. However, he simply answered, "I'm graduating soon, so I was just thinking about what to do after that."

"What else but politics? That'll come in handy when you become the king," Celeste answered unhesitatingly before urging, "Wash your hands before going to the dining room for dinner."

Aaron thought her suggestion was sound. With a smile, he went to wash his hands. During dinner, Celeste kept piling his plate up with food.

"Eat more, okay? You ought to gain back the weight you've lost," she said.

Aaron glanced at the dishes and noticed that those were all his favorite dishes when he was little. However, his preference had changed over the years. Regardless, he kept mum and finished the food.

Since Celeste had made them for him, he didn't want them to go to waste.

"Mother, over the years, have you ever regretted your decision to marry Father?" Aaron asked.

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### Chapter 1609 Sleep At Home

Celeste was stunned because she didn't expect that question from Aaron. If he were to ask her back then, she would say yes because, after all, she had been unable to get Dylan to love her back, and she was on her own over the years.

However, ever since she was told that Aaron's fate was unclear when he was in trouble, she had already let go of everything else and focused on Aaron.

Despite not being loved by Dylan, she was grateful that he had given her a son. Although her son's background wasn't great, she was still grateful for his existence.

She shook her head gently while looking at Aaron. "Aaron, I don't regret marrying your father." When she saw the curious look in his eyes, she smiled and continued, "That's because, without him, I wouldn't have you."

Celeste's short and simple sentence was enough to turn Aaron's eyes watery. Who knew I was that important in Mother's heart?

With that thought in mind, he went up to her and hugged her. "Mother, thank you for bringing me into this world."

Celeste patted his back lightly and tenderly. She never thought she would be that close to her son.

Meanwhile, Sonia was keeping her grandparents company at the Wynter residence, and she had told them about her and Harvey. Upon hearing that, they were happy that they had gotten a grandson-in-law, and they couldn't wait to meet him.

Hence, when Lawrence returned with Harvey that afternoon, they invited Harvey over.

A bright smile appeared on Sonia's face when she saw him. She dashed toward Harvey and held his arm before introducing her grandparents to him. "These are my grandparents."

Harvey instantly smiled and greeted them.

After having a chat with Harvey, her grandparents were very pleased with their grandson-in-law. Her grandmother had even whispered to her discreetly, saying that she had picked a good partner.

Sonia smiled upon hearing that.

After their dinner, Harvey wanted to bring Sonia back to the apartment, but they were stopped by Kelly.

"Sonia, you guys aren't officially married yet, so you shouldn't stay with him. Since you're back, stay at home instead of spending your nights elsewhere," Kelly uttered.

In truth, a conservative practice like that wasn't common in Turlen, and many unmarried couples lived together. However, Kelly wasn't happy with Harvey, so she didn't want Sonia to stay with him.

Suddenly, Harvey's grip on Sonia's hand tightened. He didn't expect Kelly to get Sonia to stay behind. I've only come here to have a discussion with Lawrence. How is this happening?

Lawrence, who was right beside them, heard Kelly's demand. His gaze darkened when he saw the couple holding each other's hands.

"Don't mind your mother. Go home, okay? Visit your grandparents when you guys are free," Lawrence said to Sonia and Harvey.

He knew what was Sonia afraid of, so he didn't want her to constantly be on her guard the entire time she was staying with them. Besides, she was pregnant. If she were to be moody, it would affect the health of his future grandchild.

That was why he unhesitatingly told the young couple to leave.

Kelly was angered, and she left because she didn't expect Lawrence to embarrass her in front of Sonia and an outsider. Lawrence could only let out a helpless sigh as he watched her leave.

"Father..."

"It's all right. Go home." Lawrence waved them away.

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### Chapter 1610 Snack

Harvey and Sonia merely exchanged glances before leaving. After watching them leave, Lawrence went to the room and saw Kelly sobbing. He shook his head helplessly and approached her.

"Are you angry?" he asked before trying to put his arms around her. She avoided him, but he wasn't going to give up. Again, he tried to put his arms around her, and she gave in. Lawrence smiled, hugged her, and kissed her forehead. "So, are you angry?"

"I already said I wanted Sonia to stay here with us. Why did you overrule my decision in front of that kid?" Kelly looked at Lawrence aggrievedly.

"Kelly, I think it's too late for that now. We should just give them our blessings." Lawrence wiped her tears off of her cheeks.

Upon hearing that, Kelly stared at him and asked, "Do you think he's worthy of Sonia?"

Lawrence smiled in response. Prior to that, he had already looked into Harvey, and his status alone was enough to prove himself worthy of Sonia. However, Lawrence couldn't bear to tell Kelly about Harvey's identity. After all, he was from Chanaea. Before the laws were revised, he didn't dare to tell her about it because that would give her another reason to split the couple.

"All that matters is that they're happy, no?" he asked.

Kelly remained silent.

"Kelly, I hope Sonia could be as happy as we are."

Kelly's heart melted when she heard that. Fine. As long as they're happy together.

"All right. I'll listen to you, and I won't object to their relationship." After a short pause, Kelly added, "Since they're keeping the child, perhaps they should move in with us. After all, it'll be their first time being parents, so they'll be inexperienced. If they're here, I can at least help them."

Lawrence was overjoyed when he heard that. "Okay. I'll get them to move in tomorrow."

Kelly then scoffed and said, "In the future, don't undermine me in front of the kids, okay? When you do that, you make me look bad."

"Got it. I was wrong, and it won't happen again," Lawrence coaxed and wrapped his arms around Kelly when he saw her sulking.

Kelly couldn't help but laugh when Lawrence coaxed her.

Lawrence immediately fell for that smile of hers and pinned her against the bed.

Back in Chanaea, Arielle had just gotten under the blanket when she saw Vinson walking out of the bathroom. At that moment, he was drying his hair with a towel.

He's a total snack! No matter how many times she had seen him like that, her heart would still race frantically. Indeed, no one could resist a handsome man.

Her gaze was so intense that Vinson noticed it right away. He abruptly turned toward her and saw her staring right back at him. In response, he chuckled.

Arielle immediately returned to her senses when she heard him chuckling. After realizing that he was looking right back at her, she scoffed and hid under the blanket.

Seeing that, Vinson smirked and tossed the towel to the side before walking toward the bed. He flipped the blanket aside.

Arielle huffed and held onto the blanket tightly. "Let go of it!"

Vinson took off his bathrobe and got under the blanket as well. He then hugged her and asked, "Are you mad at me?"

In response, Arielle's lips curled into a smile. Do I get angry that easily? I was just teasing him.

Vinson rolled over and appeared in front of her. He knew she was teasing him when he saw the smile on her face. Instead of getting angry, he smiled and pinned her down.