

Chapter 12 I command you

Oswald was in his office busily working when he heard his phone ring. He hesitated to check the phone ring because he was too busy and didn't want to be disturbed. The phone rang the second time and he finally glanced at the screen. He saw the caller and he stopped abruptly, he looked at the lit screen and he thought,

"Why is he calling me now? We haven't spoken about business in a long while. Is this call about Tess or is it about business?"

As he thought, the call ended and so, he took his phone called back. As soon as the person answered, Oswald said to him,

"I'm sorry, I was busy and couldn't pick up immediately. How may I be of help to you Hubery?"

I heard something from my daughter and I wanted to confirm it from you.

What is it, sir? I'm all ears.

Elsie caused her accident, three years ago?

Oswald was speechless, Tess had said the same thing to him resulting him and Elsie's divorce. But it didn't end there, she also informed her father about this. But he thought about it that a child and her father spoke about matters including who had hurt them and so, Oswald didn't think much about it and responded,

Tess said the same thing to me. I think it should be the truth.

"Now that you have confirmed this, I believe you know, who is more

important to you in this life. Tess risked her life just because of her love for you. And that Elsie was the one that made sure of that because of her so called love. So, you know whose side you should side, I shouldn't be the one to tell this to you."

Oswald sighed and then responded to him in a one word,

"Yes."

The line died and he looked at the telephone beside his arm and he pulled the caller up. He typed on one and almost at the same time, the other person on the end of the line answered and said,

"Sir?"

"I want you to find the footage of Tess's accident, as soon as possible."

"Why would he want to see it for himself after all this while? I guess he would want to see it for himself as he doesn't believe the words of Tess entirely. That's is nice.' Rod thought has he received instruction from Oswald."

In the Alfred's group of companies, Elsie was dressed in a milky suit and her hair was tied in a ponytail. On her neck was a silver chain with the with a small sign of E on it. She was standing in front of several men who are all dressed in various colors of suits and they looked in her way as she spoke,

"I have signed a contract with the Austen Group of companies. Our collaboration, I believe would be a great help with our company. I might not have informed you earlier before going ahead with it but I have prepared the documents for the contract. After looking through

and you think it isn't worth it, we won't go ahead with it."

The shareholders looked through the documents and didn't want to listen to her because of what had happened because of her father. But they could see her capability in the documents and she also held most of the shares among them all.

They had their objections as they spoke among themselves, they discussed the contract and after sometime, they all looked at her as one of them spoke,

"The documents you prepared proves that it was it's a nice project. But what bothers us is not the contract but how you intend to handle such a big company as a young lady. You know, being the head of this company takes a lot and so, out of worry of you, we would want you to step down. But if you can, we won't force you."

"Thank you for your worry for me but I believed I could handle this. Otherwise I wouldn't have entered the company in the first place."

They nodded to themselves and brought the meeting to an end. Elsie closed for the day and Sid came to pick her up. She entered the car and as soon as she did, he said to her,

"You are now the CEO of the company and so, I would be expecting a lot of changes coming in. and this change starts from you, you are already classy but you need a little more touch to it. After all you are now a CEO, and so, shopping we go."

"No, there's no need for that." Elsie responded shortly.

Sid glanced from her head to toe and without saying anything to her, he said to the driver,

"Take us to the best mall in the city."

Elsie opened her mouth to see something but nothing came out. She just sat down quietly till they arrived at the mall. As Side was getting out, she tried to stop him by saying,

"You know this isn't a necessity, I just closed from work and needed some rest. I have meeting tomorrow and this is going to tire me out."

Sid looked down and said to her in her serious voice,

"You were quiet till we got here, you have a meeting tomorrow and you need some rest. But my friend, you are fifteen minutes late, we are already here. And we won't go back without doing the reason we are here. So get out!"


"Elsie, I command you to pick quality and expensive clothes."

Hulda looked in the way of the name mentioned. She kept the clothes she had picked into the cart and took a step toward Elsie who was busily sighting a cloth she had picked. She heard the footsteps and looked up to the person and her eyes met with Hulda's. Hulda smirked and Elsie knew that she was in for no good and so she turned to walk away.

Hulda saw her intention of walking away and she shouted behind her as she walked away.

"Elsie! You better stop there!"

Elsie walked out of the executive area but Hulda wasn't going to let her escape. She shouted her name more loudly,

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"Elsie Alfred, you wench! Stop right there." 1

Elsie felt insulted and so, she stopped but the mention of her name that loud attracted several eyes on them. Hulda walked up to her and in a fit of anger cursed at her,

"You dare visit the mall with the money you have extorted from my son? after divorcing my son and extorting his money, you went after a star and now another guy. You are truly a bitch huh?"



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