## **Been Yours 1031**

Chapter 1031 Declaration of Cutting Ties With Eunice

"President Sawyer, I just got word that Soren withdrew his statement when he was brought back to the police station. He is taking all the blame on himself, and Eunice is acquitted."

Once Edward's words reached Nicholas, the man's expression turned gloomy in a split second, indicating he wasn't pleased receiving such news.

In a cold tone, Nicholas growled, "What happened?"

"Our people are working on the investigation."

With that, Edward shot a cautious glance at Nicholas, worried that the latter would blame him for the unexpected change of events.

However, Nicholas only hid his emotions beneath his eyes and gave out orders instead of taking his anger out on Edward. "Ask them to find out what happened as soon as possible."

Meanwhile, Eunice was released from custody with Walter's help.

Even though she was taken into custody for two days, she looked like she was in good shape as her father helped her in advance regarding her stay in custody.

Once the two showed up in the public eye, they were stopped in their tracks by the reporters from the news media, who received the news of Eunice's acquittal, for an interview.

have your opinion regarding the

moment and gestured for them to keep their silence before she began

I suppose it's apt to say it's Tessa's fault in the first place. I might have done something

tears away

reputation, and she wouldn't allow the other

at the scene. Not long after that, the news had

fans once they were aware of it, and they began to take their anger

dare you

a wicked woman you

expect this from

better apologize to Eunice right

from Sofia by asking her to state her position regarding

of them are your students, there's a difference between their order. Not only did Tessa become your student later than Eunice, she disrespected her senior. It shows that she is of questionable character and she doesn't deserve to

Tessa to leave the

'Let her go!'

a fuss over the matter due to Eunice stoking the flame and acquiescing her fans. Soon, the matter got to Sofia

on the ins and outs of the event, she was utterly mad. "Nonsense! She's lying about this!

be outraged because they knew nothing about the truth, but Sofia knew better than the public

Chapter 1032 Eunice Isn't Admitting Her Wrongdoings

"Mr. Simon, I'm worried about Miss Sofia. Can I take a day off to check on her in the orchestra?"

After all, Sofia and Eunice had been sustaining a teacher-student for almost twenty years. It must hurt Miss Sofia pretty much to decide to part ways with Eunice.

Simon was also worried about Sofia's well-being, just like Tessa was. As her request was coinciding with his thought, he approved her leave without a hint of hesitation. "Go on. You can call me at any time if something happens."

Nodding, Tessa turned on her heel and left. Once she went back to the orchestra, she headed straight for Sofia's office and found her seniors inside.

"There you are, Tessa!" Noticing her arrival in the office, the others greeted her. She greeted each of them politely before she stopped in front of Sofia, her words showing her concern. "Miss Sofia, are you all right?"

When Sofia met the worried look on Tessa's face, her stone-cold expression softened at the sincere gesture. "I'm fine. Why are you here, though? Aren't you supposed to be recording at Simon's place today?"

"Mr. Simon and I were worried about you after reading the news online, so I decided to visit you." Tessa answered truthfully, helping Simon to convey his concern toward Sofia as well.

Sofia was glad to hear that. Tessa's seniors joined their conversation with a chuckle. "We're here for Miss Sofia. Nothing will happen to her."

she reminded Tessa, "Lately, you need to watch out when you're leaving home. It's better if you stop coming to the orchestra for the moment. Eunice is a petty woman. Judging by the fact

Eunice, the former was sure that Eunice would find another way to get revenge. Hence,

avoid others' conspiracy on ruining her. Moreover, she couldn't risk putting herself and her

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saw Sofia's statement to cut ties with her on the

this to me?!" Gritting her teeth, Eunice headed for the orchestra with an angry

noticed her arrival, they turned to each other and started

here? Didn't

no idea.

their decisions formed, many followed Eunice to

paid no attention to them. Rushing into Sofia's office with abandon, she bluntly darted an

Soren has confessed his crimes. I'm innocent from the very beginning, so how dare you chase me away from the

office without invitation, and it showed on her face. However, Sofia was more upset about Eunice's insistence on her innocence after everything. "You know better

but I won't allow someone who has questionable morality like you to stay in the orchestra. Else, your presence will

me!" Eunice wasn't able to accept such an accusation

Chapter 1033 Revealing the Truth to the Public

In the comments, Eunice's fans didn't bother to hide their anger as they were outrageous with the phrases they used.

The event soon reached the ears of Eunice and Tessa's peers in the same field.

At first, when Eunice was released from custody, most thought that she was innocent and wrongly accused.

However, after Sofia declared to cut ties with her and remove her from the orchestra, they realized that there was more than met the eye.

Many were trying to figure out the truth.

If possible, they would seek clarification from Sofia, but they were aware and knew better that they weren't in a suitable position to meddle in her affairs.

However, Sofia's friends didn't share their concerns as they gathered in the orchestra to check on Sofia's wellbeing.

When her friends asked her about the recent event, Sofia didn't hide the truth from them.

"I used to think that Eunice is merely an arrogant woman who lacks social skills but has average morality. It seems like I'm wrong about my opinion of her. She's a vicious woman."

briefed her friends on the story and earned support from all

did the right thing. It's too late for Eunice to change her attitude at this age. If you allow her to

have many students other than her. Other students will more or less be

she listened to her friends' advice, Sofia nodded in agreement. "That's exactly what I think. Lately, many groups have postponed their performance due to her

the event were worsening, and the public only grew more interested in

noticed that something didn't add up in the story, thus they threw themselves into further investigation to find out the truth, as

investigation indeed bore fruit when an unexpected piece of

of the oldest media in the country sorted the new piece of information and the recent

Must Be the Reason Sofia Cut Ties With

there must be a mastermind behind Soren's behavior of withdrawing

netizens who followed up with the update on the event immediately steered

bet Soren was either bribed or threatened. Else, he wouldn't withdraw

see there's something fishy

Soren to take the blame. Sofia isn't pleased with her deeds but doesn't have a solution

concluded the story, and the majority of netizens agreed

average reputation was severed after the netizens made up

the couch with her phone in her hand as she was lost

Chapter 1034 Soren Was Threatened

For the time being, Walter and Eunice were being cautious with their every move, leaving no traces for others to find their weak points. However, Nicholas had an alternative starting point.

"Go see the stage operator again," he ordered in a low tone.

Edward nodded, understanding that Nicholas was trying to dig up information from Soren. Then, he left the study room and headed to the place Soren was being held at.

"Why did you withdraw your statement? Do you wish to stay behind the bars forever?" When Edward saw Soren, the former cut to the chase without wasting any second.

To his surprise, Soren answered his question with a neutral tone that betrayed no emotions. "I do."

Edward had a hunch that Soren's attitude seemed a little off. Furrowing his brows, Edward pressed, "Did something happen?"

However, Soren refused to answer him.

After that, no matter what question Edward shot at him, Soren kept his silence, leaving Edward with no choice but to leave for the moment.

Edward got in his car, but the more he thought about Soren's attitude, the more his intuition was telling him that something didn't add up. Thus, he immediately took out his phone and called Nicholas.

something is off about Soren's attitude. I asked him if he wanted

on his meeting with Soren a while

a few seconds before his calm voice reached Edward. "There's no way he doesn't want freedom, unless he was threatened by someone. You should check

work on it." Understanding dawned on Edward, and he gave the other man new insight. After

once he arrived at his destination. Her expression seemed a little off to him as if

you alone? Where's your son? I don't

would trigger something inside her mind and cause

tell the police." Evan grabbed Edward's hands with an agitated look

her from kneeling by grabbing her arms as

to call the police, and they told me that my son will come back to me safely after three days. But my husband is innocent! He can't

to the panic spreading within her chest, Evan was

rough idea of the story—somebody held Soren and Evan's son hostage, and threatened Soren to take responsibility for the

only ease her worries with his words. "Madam Evan, please calm yourself. We're

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soon as Nicholas arrived at his office, Edward knocked on the door and walked inside to

Sawyer, I've talked to Evan. I can guarantee that Soren only chose to

Chapter 1035 Dirty Tricks

"Are they out of their mind? Tessa, that sl\*t, is completely unfit to manage my Group Two!" Eunice's teeth gritted together as she prepared to reason with the netizens. However, at this instant, an idea flashed through her mind and she paused her actions.

She logged on to her social media and posted an oblique sentence. 'No wonder she tried so hard to kick me out...'

The moment her post went live, a rage broke out among her supporters, who were already feeling indignant for her. 'What is Miss Sofia thinking of? I've never seen someone as biased as she is!'

'Group Two is established by our idol herself! She has shed her blood and tears for it. Why must she make way for Tessa Reinhart now?!'

'And what gives Tessa Reinhart the right to replace our idol?'

In a short period of time, Sofia Symphony's website was flooded with negative comments from enraged fans.

Some of them even went so far as to threaten the symphony.

'If you dare to let Tessa Reinhart manage Group Two, I guarantee I'll cause trouble at every performance of Group Two!'

'Group Two belongs to our idol! We will never allow anyone else to get their hands on it!'

Because of the large numbers of negative comments from the supporters, this incident was eventually reported in the news.

Sofia was completely infuriated.

a role in causing the current

the symphony guessed it too, and

overboard! How could

quickly instructed her assistant to

public statement was issued on Sofia's

made it clear that Group Two was undergoing some re-coordination and changes. Once everything was completed, she

howling supporters immediately went quiet after reading Sofia's latest

Tessa

a statement also revealed to the public that

all, Sofia was a person of high and noble standing in the field. She rarely posted on social media, and when she did, it was always

students had

media was eager to interview Tessa in order to learn what she possessed that caused Sofia to

much to their dismay, Tessa stayed inside her house all day. The reporters could not get to

the rumors about Sofia Symphony on the internet had

was about to be forgotten, Eunice took the

to having a great

a famous symphony—the Twelve Knights—on

Chapter 1036 Flawed Character

'Oh my goodness, Mr. Kussen is going to perform a duet with Eunice!' 'Mr. Kussen, please treat our idol well. She will never let you down.'

'Excellent decision, Eunice! Since Sofia, that old lady, does not appreciate you, you indeed should move on and have a change in scenery.'

Those who left such comments were obviously Eunice's fans. Some even boasted about it on Sofia Symphony's official website and on their own social media.

'Do you think our idol would have nowhere to go after you chased her away, you old hag? Eunice is always the extraordinary lady that we know, no matter where she goes.'

'Mr. Kussen has announced that he will be performing a duet with our idol at her first philharmonic concert!'

'Our idol will only grow in stature in the future. Sooner or later, you will regret chasing her away!'

Seeing how the situation developed, all of the reporters seemed to sense that such news would make it to the headlines, and they rushed to Sofia Symphony for an interview.

They couldn't get Sofia, of course. Hence, they could only interview the rest of the members.

"What are your thoughts on Eunice joining the Twelve Knights?"

an impact on the

The orchestra is functioning

to put it bluntly, our orchestra can withstand losing a few more

everything is

if the members had agreed among themselves, no matter how the reporters posed their questions, all answers

as well as her joining an orchestra that was Sofia Symphony's arch enemy, had a significant impact on Sofia

arrogant bragging and mockery on Sofia Symphony's official website, which pushed the symphony to the forefront

news as a

works, our idol is perfect! Do you really think you'll be able to shut her out of the field simply by

you should remove her

Morris, you'll be sorry one

aware of

the attitude of those supporters, it appeared

agreed to an interview with a

you have anything to say

say is that, while she

Eunice's character is flawed,

Chapter 1037 The Increasing Rumors

'Miss Sofia isn't that kind of person, is she?' 'From what I recall, Sofia Symphony has a number of performances each year. She shouldn't be short of money.'

'I believe it is possible. Well, no one will think they have too much money.' 'Furthermore, every expense in the artistic field is exorbitant. They earn a lot, but they spend a lot as well.'

'If that's the case, Miss Sofia has truly disappointed everyone.' 'How could she ditch her protégé, who has been following her for twenty years, just for money?'

"Given this, I'm concerned about the other members as well." 'Tessa Reinhart is the root of all problems. What's the big deal about marrying into a wealthy family? Does this mean she can look down on others and replace their efforts for more than ten years?'

For some unknown reason, the fire of the rumors spread to Tessa. Eunice, on the other hand, was pleased with such a development. Tessa was the one who landed Eunice into her current situation in the first place.

Now that Eunice wasn't having a good time, she would never let Tessa live her life peacefully as well. Edward's attention was drawn to the matter too because of all the commotion on the Internet, and he immediately conducted an investigation into it.

He soon discovered that Eunice was the mastermind behind all the rumors, and he immediately informed Nicholas. Edward looked attentively at Nicholas and asked, "Such a woman who can easily mislead the public is never simple. Shall we do something to stop the rumors?"

Hearing that, Nicholas squinted his eyes and became deep in thought. After a few beats, he stated coldly, "It doesn't matter. She was the one who got herself into this mess. Someone will deal with her soon. Just wait for it; she won't be able to maintain such a front for long."

Nicholas' words were indeed true.

When the other members of the orchestra read the rumors online, they were both enraged and speechless.

could Eunice slander Sofia in

more than enough for Miss Sofia to enjoy herself for the rest of her life, not to mention her other gone way

of the members felt indignant on Sofia's

gang

of them got together, their main subject of conversation was Eunice

personality, I've never disliked her as much as I do now. Isn't it true that Miss Sofia treated her well? How could Eunice do something like

so angry that she gritted her teeth as she

to harm our little junior! Now that she has fallen out with Miss Sofia, of course she dares to say

her behalf when she had her disputes with Miss Sofia previously, but she is

that, Kellen grimaced and muttered, "I'm not going to

suit and declared that they would never be

senior of

he was of the same mind

did went way beyond

felt despised after receiving no response from Sofia Symphony despite all the slanders against them. Hence, she again directed her

Symphony's surfaced on the Internet, each one more outrageous than the

the orchestra's pretty musicians to wealthy men in exchange

Chapter 1038 The Truth

After Marjorie helped Sofia handle the cops, she was thoroughly enraged to the point where she maliciously criticized Eunice when the press came for an interview.

"Miss Sofia didn't want to have a fallout with you on account of your history, but you've been shameless. Since it has come to this, and I've held it in for way too long, let's talk facts, shall we? Aside from the fact that Miss Sofia earns hundreds of millions per year, just the profits from the orchestra alone amount to almost a hundred million. Why does she need to source money from another revenue or betray one of the band members to support herself? You're just spouting rubbish, Eunice. Please, if you want to lie, at least make it believable."

The media was stunned to see such a livid Marjorie. After all, they had never seen the man, who had always been polite and gentle, being so exasperated like he was now.

Noticing something was off, some of the journalists asked, "Then, does that mean that Miss Eunice isn't who she seems to be?"

Had the journalists questioned this in the past, Marjorie would have tried to cover it up for Eunice, but he spoke his mind this time.

"Being another man's mistress is all that's on her mind these days. A homewrecker, basically. Do you think she's as she seems?" Marjorie then sneered before walking away to go on with his day.

Yet, these journalists seemed to have been intrigued by his statement, for they started to interview the whole orchestra soon after.

the lead to expose Eunice, so the

you referring to Eunice? She's actually quite selfish

our mouths shut on account of Miss Sofia, but she really has a twisted morale. All she thinks

I remembered that once, our performance was delayed because she was busy hooking up with a

a member of Group Two. I heard that Eunice often scolded and hit

admitted to the hospital

a journalist asked, "Did you

threatened me, saying that if I dared to blow this

the media opened their eyes up to who

her. However, it was a different story when there were

interview was uploaded online, which attracted a lot

Are they really talking about the same Eunic that

most, especially when Eunice actually

Chapter 1039 Misled

"Eunice, it all started because of you. I want you to settle this matter within a day. I'll never allow this scandal to tarnish the reputation of the orchestra!"

Despite staying at home for the past few days, Tessa had been keeping tabs on what was circulating online. Seeing how much buzz was on this incident, she sighed, albeit without an ounce of pity for Eunice.

She has this coming.

Yet, she did not predict that things would blow out of proportion to the point where the orchestra members would stand up for her and expose Eunice. Frankly, she was moved by their actions.

When the night dawned, she was still in disbelief when she reiterated this to Nicholas in his embrace.

"I didn't think that the members would protect me. This was something that I didn't expect."

"They're not blinded by the truth. They can tell who's sincere and who's a hypocrite." Nicholas lowered his head and looked at Tessa gently.

never abused her position and used

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day, Tessa received a call from Simon in the middle of

at home

might seek revenge against me, so she wanted me to

much trouble she's in, I don't think that Eunice has the time

been unfolding online these past few days, Tessa nodded before asking

worried about you. Of course, if you're not bothered by the rumors, you can come over and

actuality, Simon believed that all this happened because Tessa had yet to produce any notable works, which led her to be bullied so easily. He was hoping that she would quickly finish recording the album

Simon's thoughts, Tessa agreed to the recording. Yet, what she did not know was that another storm was incoming just as she was occupied with her session. It was Eunice's strike once

any incident; the orchestra had been operating smoothly too. Yet, ever since she appeared, not only did our play get stolen, we even experienced a fire! And now, look at what happened. Before Tessa came, the Hathaway Philharmonic was a reputable orchestra. After she joined, things have upheaved so badly that the orchestra is now

stunned

but

'I agree.'

Chapter 1040 The Truth of Eunice

Her words shifted the hesitant public to think that Tessa was a walking catastrophe. Yet, just as they were about to criticize her, Hathaway herself voiced out.

'I would like to state that my severance with Tessa was only because I couldn't get past myself. Nobody has the right to blame her, including me, as a mother. I hope that the public does not get misled by such malicious comments. Tessa is a nice, sensible, polite, and hardworking woman.'

Although Hathaway did praise Tessa, she did not mention anything regarding her daughter's death. As such, it showed that she did not blame Tessa, as the problems resided with Kathleen herself. It was precisely because of this that the misled public found their sanity again.

'I don't believe that a mother who doesn't love her own child exists. Since Miss Hathaway is speaking up for Tessa in such an objective way, this means that she's not the one causing trouble left and right.'

'Also, I could read between the lines that Hathaway still appreciates Tessa a lot.'

'Perhaps Tessa isn't as bad as what Eunice made her out to be. On the contrary, she might even be brilliant.'

'Speaking of which, oftentimes, the more outstanding a person is, the more envy and hatred are thrown her way. Do you all think that it's because of this that she's targeted by so many people?'

As if they had been enlightened, the public went back to criticizing Eunice again.

have the cheek to slander your junior

bought

correct. Eunice doesn't seem as harmless

to build thoroughly crumbled. The reason why she did this was to clear her own name, but she did

hand, Tessa's fans started to

wanted to fight back with claims that Tessa was not as polite as Hathaway described because she was slapped by

rebuked by the orchestra

not know why she slapped

and again. Now, you can't stand her

their limits. Honestly, who can

rebuked so harshly

the public started to

Tessa. It turns out that she couldn't get the

a homewrecker, so she wants to ruin

shameless individual that acts so arrogantly even