

Always Been Yours Chapter 925-930

Chapter 925 How Was the Party?

“She’s coaxing the young master to sleep upstairs,” Sebastian replied dutifully. Hearing that, Nicholas nodded and headed upstairs to Gregory’s room. Upon entering the room and seeing the scene in front of him, the grim expression on his face disappeared, and a warm smile followed. The room was dimly lit by a warm-toned bedside lamp, and Tessa was seen hugging Gregory as both of them were sound asleep

Seeing that, Nicholas smiled and slowly walked over before sitting by the bed. He stared at Tessa’s sweet sleeping face quietly, and the irritability that he had had was instantly relieved. He couldn’t help but lean in for a kiss.

Although it was just a peck, Tessa was awakened by the warm sensation on her forehead. She stared at him blankly while in a daze, and soon after she was fully awake, she beamed when she recognized that it was Nicholas. “You’re back.” She whispered to him in order to not wake Gregory up before carefully moving Gregory away from her arms.

Seeing that, Nicholas went up to help her out. However, Gregory seemed to be awakened by it, as he suddenly grabbed onto Tessa’s shirt and called out, “Mommy...” Tessa’s heart melted when she heard his adorable voice, and she was reluctant to leave him.

“Why not?”

“No way.” Nicholas rejected her even before she could finish what she wanted to say since he already knew what she wanted to say because he refused to sleep alone. With that, he skilfully made Gregory release his grip on Tessa’s shirt.

“Alright, we can go back to our room now.” He held onto her hand, and both of them left Gregory’s room. Tessa followed behind him helplessly, but his actions made her heart warm.

After entering the room, Tessa remembered that Nicholas had attended a party that night and asked him concernedly, “Have you had a lot to drink? Should I go to the kitchen and pour you a glass of warm water?”

“There’s no need for that, as I didn’t drink much. Edward had been drinking on my behalf.”

Nicholas pulled Tessa over, and both of them sat on the bed. Tessa didn’t seem to believe his words and leaned in to take a sniff at him. She felt relieved when she found out that he didn’t reek of alcohol.

“Since you don’t need it, you should go wash up, as it’s already late.”

“Alright.”

With that, Nicholas went into the bathroom. Later on, he got out of the bathroom with a towel wrapped around his waist. His firm and attractive abs looked alluring under the lighting, but it was a shame that Tessa had been asleep to see them. It was either because she had been too tired or because she was pregnant that she had fallen asleep as soon as she lay on the bed.

After he wiped himself dry, he slowly got into bed and pulled her into his arms. Although Tessa was asleep, it was as if she could feel it too and snuggled in his arms. She rubbed her cheek against his chest and murmured in a daze, “Nicholas, go to sleep.”

Upon hearing that, he smiled as his heart melted. He tightened his embrace and kissed her in between her brows.

“Good night,” he whispered and closed his eyes with her in his arms. He felt peace. Although there were many beautiful women in the world, the only one that he wanted to be with was sleeping in his arms.

The next morning, Tessa woke up early, but Nicholas was still asleep, which was rare. She couldn’t pull her gaze away from him as she stared at the flawless-looking man who was sound asleep. Soon after, Nicholas woke up.

“Do I look good?” He pulled her into his arms and smiled.

Tessa felt shy as it felt like she was caught in the act but smiled sweetly as she replied. “There’s no question that my husband looks good.” She was all smiles as she looked at him.

Nicholas seemed to be infected by her smile and couldn’t help but smile at her too. After cuddling for a while, Tessa suddenly asked with a laugh, “Since it was already late last night, I have forgotten to ask you about the party. How was it?”

Chapter 926 Stay On Your Toes

“It was alright since most of those occasions felt the same to me. It was rather boring,” Nicholas replied impassively. Even so, Tessa could feel that something was off. “Did something happen?” she asked concernedly.

After giving it some thought, Nicholas decided not to hide it from her and revealed to her about everything that Eunice had done. The revelation had left Tessa flabbergasted, especially that part when Nicholas purposely planned to make Tessa fall into the pool. However, she thought that Eunice had brought it upon herself.

“I never thought that Eunice is someone that shameless.” She frowned displeasably.

Seeing her angry made him laugh. "Alright, let's not get angry over people like her." He then hugged Tessa in her arms as he explained to her. "The reason why I'm telling you this is because I hope that you will remain alert toward the people around you. Since I won't be staying over here for long, I won't be able to turn up on time to protect you every time you're in danger."

"Okay, got it. I will be more careful in the future." She nodded slightly.

After both of them chatted for a while, they got down from the bed and went to wash up, as it was about time that Tessa headed out for her orchestra training. Soon, the whole family sat down together to have breakfast, and right after that. Tessa brought Gregory to the orchestra.

She never thought that she would bump into Eunice upon entering the orchestra. Perhaps it was because Eunice had fallen into the water last night; she looked a little haggard today.

Noticing that, a lot of the orchestra members went up to her and asked her concernedly, "Miss Eunice, are you not feeling well? Why does your face look so pale?"

"Miss Eunice, why not take a day off today since your health should come first."

"Miss Eunice, do you need to go to the hospital? I can send you there in my car."

Eunice smiled when she saw how everyone was concerned about her. "Thank you all for your concern. I'm fine, so all of you should go attend your training."

Hearing that, all of them left for their training obediently. Tessa narrowed her gaze when she saw that Eunice was about to leave.

Suddenly, she lowered her gaze to look at Gregory and told him, "Go wait for Mommy in the training room. Mommy has something to discuss with Miss Eunice." She didn't want Gregory to be there as she didn't want to taint her child's pure heart. However, her intention was unknown to Gregory, and he nodded before leaving. When Tessa saw that Gegot had disappeared into the corridor, she sighed and went after Eunice.

"Eunice, hold on."

"Tessa, what is it?" Eunice's eyes lit up when she noticed Tessa coming over. Eunice seemed interested to know what Tessa was going to ask her and, at the same time, had her guard up against Tessa.

Tessa ignored Eunice's expression and pretended to be concerned. "Eunice, I heard that you fell into the pool last night. Are you alright?"

Hearing that made Eunice's expression grim. She narrowed her gaze when she stared at Tessa as she wasn't sure whether Tessa was concerned about her or it was something else.

Tessa had naturally noticed her curious gaze, but she pretended to act dumb, "Eunice, why are you staring at me?"

“Nothing. I just think that you looked good today.” Eunice looked away as she answered simply.

“Eunice, you don’t seem good. Did you catch a cold or something? Do you need me to send you to the hospital?” Tessa nodded and asked again.

Eunice’s eyes lit up when she saw how earnest Tessa was. She thought that she herself might have been too sensitive about it as Tessa seemed to be genuinely concerned about her and didn’t have any ill intentions. However, she felt that Tessa’s reaction was rather odd.

If Tessa knew that she had fallen into the pool, why would Tessa speak to her politely? Could it be that Nicholas didn’t tell her about what happened last night?

Given the situation, Eunice thought it was possible and instantly felt relieved. She smiled and replied to Tessa, “I have probably caught a cold and will be better after taking some medication. Thank you for your concern.”

Chapter 927 Things That Don’t Belong to You

Who the heck is concerned about you?! Tessa felt disgusted when she saw Eunice smile. It was apparent that Eunice was so used to putting on a facade that she could pretend nothing happened after doing something that shameless. Tessa felt that she shouldn’t be underestimating Eunice.

Tessa’s gaze darkened at the thought of it. However, she maintained her smile and nodded. “It’s great that you’re fine. You should be more careful in future since the weather is getting cold. We wouldn’t want you to fall sick, after all.”

Hearing that, Eunice smiled and nodded, but she didn’t notice how cold Tessa’s gaze was. In fact, Eunice actually felt good about herself and thought that Tessa was an idiot. Little did she know that Tessa was observing her expressions and even managed to read them. Tessa smirked when she realized how shameless Eunice actually was. At the same time, she didn’t understand why Eunice would be proud of herself for things like that.

After giving it some thought, she uttered sarcastically, “Speaking of it, you fell into the pool because you were the one who brought it upon yourself. After all, it’s not a good habit to covet other people’s belongings, don’t you think so?” She glanced straight at Eunice and warned her, “Eunice, don’t even think about getting your hands on things that don’t belong to you as it might backfire.” After saying what she wanted to say, Tessa left without looking back.

Eunice froze on the spot as she was exasperated after being toyed.

Tessa had obviously found out about it and was just there to mock her. “You b*tch!” Eunice cursed as her blood boiled.

Eunice was especially mad when she recalled how proud she was of herself and thought that Tessa was just an idiot for not knowing what she had done. However, Tessa had known about it all along and was

just there to mock her. The thought of it infuriated her. She clenched her fists so tightly that her fingernails sunk into her palms, but she didn't feel the pain at all.

It just so happened that Susan walked past and witnessed everything. In fact, she was glad about it. She was hoping that both of them would fight and go against each other. That way, she would have the opportunity to shine.

On her way back to the training room, Tessa seemed unhappy as Eunice had gotten on her nerves. She was mad at her for being shameless, trying to seduce her husband, and even viewing her as an idiot.

She had confronted Eunice earlier on with the intention of warning her and also to remind her that Nicholas was her man. She wanted to let her know that she shouldn't mess with her, her family, and her husband. Eunice would be asking for trouble by doing so.

Meanwhile, Gregory noticed that Tessa seemed unhappy when she got to the training room. He immediately went up to her and asked concernedly, "Mommy, did something happen? Why do you look so unhappy?"

Hearing that, she snapped out of her thoughts and immediately suppressed her emotions when she saw how concerned he was. "Don't worry, Mommy is fine."

"Are you really fine?" he asked skeptically.

"Yes, I'm fine. You should go and practice the violin."

Since Gregory was still a child, he couldn't tell that Tessa was putting on a pretense. Thus, he really thought that Tessa was feeling fine and nodded before resuming his practice. Seeing that, Tessa started putting away her thoughts and resumed training intensively as she shouldn't let someone like Eunice affect herself and her performance.

Everyone from the orchestra had been busy practicing the whole morning. After Sofia made her rounds, she headed straight to Tessa's training room. During this period of time, Group Six had been successfully established, and there were many things that didn't require her supervision anymore. With that, she could gradually put her focus back on Tessa and Gregory—especially Tessa, whom she personally trained.

"You've gotten it wrong. There's a stray note because your fingers aren't placed correctly."

"That's not right. Your fingers are positioned wrongly."

"From the top. You're still getting it wrong."

Chapter 928 Finding Fault

During class, Sofia was strict toward Tessa. The woman had also managed to pick up a few issues that Tessa had and requested her to practice repeatedly in order to build muscle memory before they moved on.

Although Tessa received earfuls from Sofia throughout the training, she took in everything well since she knew that Sofia only wanted the best for her, which explained why the woman was so strict. Because of that, she trained extra hard without wanting to let Sofia down.

Meanwhile, Gregory was done with his daily practice and left the training room by himself as he didn't want to disturb Tessa. He headed out and stopped by at the other orchestra members' training room.

All of the other orchestra members were happy to see Gregory and went up to greet him. "Are you done with your practice, Greg?"

"Where are you going, Greg?"

"Don't run around, Greg."

All of them were fond of him, and some of them even shared their snacks with him.

At times like these, Gregory would thank them politely, "Thank you, pretty lady."

"Oh, you're so sweet."

"Yes, and you're very polite too."

Everyone was happy to see Gregory, and all of them chatted away happily while laughing. All of a sudden, Eunice walked in. Her gaze darkened when she noticed Gregory standing among them. The sight of him reminded her of Tessa and what the woman had warned her that morning, making her blood boil.

"What's with all the noise?" She walked over and started scolding, "This is the orchestra, which is a place for you to come to work and practice. It's not a place for your chatter. Do you think this is a park?"

Everyone was puzzled to hear that, and all of them fell silent.

After scolding the members, she turned over and glared at Gregory before snapping at him, "And you, don't you know that you shouldn't be running around during practice? Don't you know that your presence will disrupt their practice?!"

Poor Gregory trembled with fear while being scolded by Eunice. When he saw how the other orchestra members got scolded because of him, he tried to explain to her softly although he was afraid. "I just got here. Besides, the other orchestra members were having their break when I entered."

"How dare you argue with me? Although they're on break, your presence extended their rest time which should have ended ages ago. Do you still dare to say that you've not interrupted their practice?" Eunice scolded him relentlessly.

Since what she said made some sense, the usually cheeky Gregory had no grounds to refute it. He pursed his lips as he was troubled by Eunice's remarks. Have I really disturbed the other orchestra members? he thought to himself.

No one stood up for him, and soon, Eunice started scolding him again. "Why are you quiet now? You seemed to be able to speak really well just now. I don't know how Tessa brought you up for you to be talking back to adults at such a young age."

Meanwhile, Tessa was standing outside when she overheard Eunice's remarks, and her expression darkened. She was out looking for Gregory when she noticed that he wasn't in the room after her training ended and was surprised to hear Eunice's harsh scolding as soon as she got there.

"What's wrong?" She walked into the training room with a grim expression and stopped next to Gregory before staring at Eunice.

Seeing that, Eunice narrowed her gaze as she was overwhelmed with wrath. She was glad that Tessa turned up there as she had been wanting to teach her a lesson after how Tessa had mocked her. While posing at her senior, she started finding fault. "Tessa, I'd like to know whether you teach your child about manners. Not only didn't he admit to his faults, he even talked back to an adult at such a young age!"

Tessa was furious upon hearing that.

Feeling wronged, poor Gregory tried to explain, "Mommy, I didn't do that." He timidly pulled her sleeve while his voice quivered.

Seeing that made Tessa's heart ache. Even when Gregory did something wrong, she never scolded him that way.

Chapter 929 Seduce Someone Else's Husband

On top of that, Gregory had always been an obedient child who rarely caused trouble or acted impolitely. Before she could say anything, Eunice started reprimanding Gregory again, saying, "Look, he's denying it again. How rude of him!"

Tessa glared at Eunice coldly before looking away as she wanted to find out what really happened. "Greg, don't be scared. Can you tell Mommy what happened?" She squatted in front of Gregory and consoled him softly. Gregory felt comfort when he saw how tolerant Tessa was toward him.

“After my training ended, I noticed that Mommy and Granny Sofia were still in the middle of class, so I went out to play by myself. Since the other orchestra members were having their break, they asked me to play here as they were worried that I would wander around outside. When Miss Eunice walked in, she said that I had interrupted their training,” he explained everything that had happened.

Tessa was infuriated after listening to it as it was apparent that Eunice was merely finding fault with the boy. “Eunice, do you need to make such a big fuss about this? It was supposed to be their break time, and Gregory is just a child who happened to pass by. Do you need to relate this to his upbringing?” She stood up and told her off with a straight face.

Although Eunice was aware that she was being unreasonable, she refused to lose to Tessa given the situation. Before she could say anything, Tessa spoke before her with a sarcastic smile on her face. “Besides, are you sure that your upbringing is better than a child’s?”

For some reason, Eunice’s heart was pounding like crazy when she saw the smirk on Tessa’s face as she had a feeling that something bad was about to happen. Her hunch was proven to be right as Tessa then scoffed. “Eunice, if you really have a good upbringing, why would you try to seduce someone else’s husband?”

Everyone in the room was startled at the revelation. They had heard about Eunice’s scandal, but none of the rumors had been verified.

“Is Tessa declaring a war with Miss Eunice?”

“They are probably on bad terms since Tessa is confronting her about it.”

“I like how assertive Tessa is.”

Although those were just whispers, they were loud enough to be heard by Eunice. That moment, Eunice felt deeply humiliated as she had been exposed by Tessa.

“Tessa Reinhart!” she snapped.

“Do you have any more advice for me?” Tessa was unfazed, lifting her chest as she confronted the other woman.

Just as the atmosphere got tense, Sofia came walking in. She noticed that something was wrong and asked with a frown on her face, “What are both of you arguing about?”

“Miss Sofia.” Both Eunice and Tessa turned their gazes to Sofia and greeted her politely. Meanwhile, everyone else in the room instantly fell silent.

Gregory, who was holding onto Tessa’s hand tightly, sounded aggrieved as he greeted her, “Granny Sofia.”

Sofia knew that something was off and questioned, "What's wrong, Greg?" Before Gregory could give her a reply, Eunice immediately explained the situation to her. Of course, she spoke so skilfully that she wouldn't be suspected of trying to find fault.

"That's what happened. I'm just being strict with my work, and I never expected Tessa to coddle her child while refusing to accept my criticism."

Tessa chuckled after listening to Eunice's accusations. From their expressions, Sofia knew that Eunice was hiding something from her.

With that, she spoke with a frown. "You're not wrong for taking your work seriously. However, you're making a big fuss since Gregory has always been an obedient child who doesn't cause any problems."

From her words, Eunice could tell that Sofia was on Gregory's side. Although she was displeased about it, she didn't dare be disrespectful toward Sofia.

Sofia merely dismissed her dissatisfaction and announced, "Alright, all of you should get back to what you're doing. Stop gathering around here."

Since Eunice couldn't do anything about it, she left after letting out a snort.

Chapter 930 Let's Go Visit Your Daddy

Tessa didn't say a word although she was infuriated. She then left the training room together with Gregory and Sofia. As they walked, Sofia asked confusedly, "You seemed to get along well with Eunice before this. What happened?"

"It's nothing." Tessa paused before answering, but she decided not to tell Sofia about it since she didn't want to make things hard for the woman.

Just then, Gregory lowered his head like a child who did something wrong and apologized, "I shouldn't have run around, Granny Sofia. I didn't mean to do it." Sofia couldn't bring herself to blame him since he was such a sensible and well-behaved child.

She then caressed his head and consoled him, "It's okay. Don't take Miss Eunice's words to heart since she was only taking her work seriously." After that, she turned to look at Tessa and tried to act as the peacemaker. "Don't mind what Eunice just said." All Sofia wanted was for her students to get along well with each other since all of them were important to her; she couldn't bear to see any of them feel wronged.

Upon hearing that, Tessa remained quiet and didn't comment on it as she knew what Sofia's intentions were. However, she felt that Eunice wouldn't have just left it at that. Sofia was unaware of Tessa's thoughts and merely informed her about something before leaving as she had other matters to take care of.

Ever since Gregory returned from the training room, he had been feeling down. Tessa noticed it and hugged him in her arms while consoling him, "Don't let it bother you anymore since it's all in the past."

“But I was the one who caused Mommy to fight with her.” Gregory felt bad about it and thought that all of it wouldn’t have happened if he just stayed in the room after his training.

Little did Tessa expect Gregory to be feeling down because he was concerned about her, and she was touched by this. “I don’t blame you for it, and it’s not your fault.” She hugged him tightly while trying to comfort him.

Even so, Gregory still seemed dispirited as everyone he met had been nice to him ever since he came to Vienna. Eunice was the first one there who had scolded him.

Tessa’s heart broke for him, and because of that, she was even more furious at Eunice. However, it was more important to take care of Gregory’s feelings. She smiled as she tried to distract him. “Since it’s almost noon, would you like Mommy to bring you out for some ice cream?”

“I want to have two.” His voice sounded dull.

Tessa gladly obliged and replied, “Sure, Mommy will get two for you. One is to be eaten in the afternoon, and the other one can be eaten at night.” Gregory nodded upon hearing that, and his mood seemingly improved. Noticing that, Tessa then added, “Why don’t we go and visit Daddy after getting ice cream? We can get him to bring us to the kindergarten, and you can make a lot of friends there.”

When Gregory heard that he could make new friends, he was distracted by it and was so glad that he beamed gleefully. Tessa instantly felt relieved at the sight of that, but she was still mad about what had happened. She knew that Eunice was lashing out her anger at Gregory, and Tessa vowed that she’d never let it happen ever again.

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Meanwhile, at the president’s office in one of the branches of Sawyer Group, Nicholas was surprised to see Tessa and Gregory visiting him.

“Why are both of you here?” He immediately stood up and held Tessa’s hand as he led her to the couch.

“We are here to visit you because we both miss you.” She smiled. Even so, Nicholas could tell that something was off.

“Did something happen?” He held onto her hand and asked.

“Well, something unpleasant did happen.”

Tessa didn’t hide anything from him and recounted the incident at the orchestra. After listening to her account, he frowned as he was utterly disgusted by Eunice.