

Blessed 347

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Erick's instructions plus basketball star Leo attending the event were met with enormous enthusiasm.

Eastern University players were screaming in excitement.

"Great!"

"We shall defeat them!" the students shouted happily.

However, the enthusiasm was not the same on the side of Jork University.

Bessie tried to talk tactics for the competition, but the team members were all in low spirits. It was clear that they were very pessimistic about the outcome of the competition.

Seeing that she couldn't get anything out of them in their current state, Bessie had to resign herself to just asking them to do some simple warm-up exercises.

Once the basketball competition started, the difference in power between the two teams was more than evident.

At the end of the first two quarters of play, Jork University had to face the harsh reality written on the red scoreboard.

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It was definitely a tough pill to swallow for the athletes of Jork University. Their morale, already very low even before the start of the competition, had almost completely collapsed by this point.

Trevor, who was sitting in the stands, shook his head helplessly at the situation.

He felt that the huge difference in the score wasn't just the result of the difference in strength between the two teams.

On the one hand, the Eastern University athletes were very motivated and full of enthusiasm, and it showed in the way they played. On the other hand, the athletes at Jork University were demoralized and nonchalant. That was their real problem.

As a coach, of course Bessie was quite disappointed by the performance of her team. However, she still clapped and cheered, "Well done, everyone. It's off to a bad start, but if we play hard and work as a team, we can win. Come on, cheer up."

However, her words didn't manage to cheer up her team.

Bernard frowned and said, "There's no way we can win this match. Not to mention that Dennis has been arrested!"

The other team members agreed to what Bernard said.

At this point, the members of Bessie's team were all starting to come up with excuses to pull out of the game.

One said his knees were sprained, and another covered his stomach, screaming in pain.

All five players who started the match were no longer ready to continue.

Of course, everyone knew that these were just excuses for not having to suffer another humiliation.

Bessie was completely disappointed at this point.

She expected better from her team. After all, she had done her best to train them. She wouldn't have thought they would be such cowards in the face of adversity.

In theory, this contest was only a friendly sports activity.

However, with what happened in the first half of the match, and more especially with the arrival of the big star Leo, the stakes had changed completely.

The competition was no longer just a friendly match. The stakes were greater now.

Seeing that the main players were unwilling to continue the match, Bessie was forced to ask the substitutes to play.

Even so, she still faced a big problem as there were only four substitutes who dared to play.

She couldn't send just four players on the court, could she?

Such a thing would lead to a most certain humiliation of Jork University.

The anxious look on Bessie's face moved Trevor.

He stood up at once.

"Hey Miss Taylor, how about I join your team? I've played basketball before," Trevor offered.

Bessie looked at Trevor hesitantly. After a while though, she finally accepted. "Alright then. But you have to protect yourself, okay?"

There was a hint of gratitude in her eyes.

Bessie was really grateful to Trevor for being ready to defend his school, unlike Bernard and his teammates.

Meanwhile, in the rest area of Eastern University, the players were laughing and playing happily.

Erick seemed even more complacent now.

In a sense, the performance of his players in the first half was like his way of venting his anger. He was very pleased with the result and couldn't help but stare at their opponents with complacency.

Suddenly, Erick saw that Trevor had put on Jork's team jersey and was starting to warm up.

Erick frowned and wondered, 'Is this loser going to play too?'

Thinking of this, Erick became more excited.

Since Trevor was dumb enough to want to go up against them in a basketball game, so be it.

After thinking for a while, Erick gathered his team members again.

"Listen, when you'll resume the match, take good care of that idiot. I want you guys to humiliate him!"