

Chapter 116 Janessa, What Should I Do

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With an innocent look, Jonesso picked up the phone and showed it to Alono, "I didn't call at all!"

Alono realized that Jonesso had lied to her, so she lowered her eyes and silently shed tears.

"What's the matter with you? I was only joking. Why are you crying?"

Jonesso immediately grabbed a box of tissues and ran to Alono's side to wipe away her tears, but Alono continued to weep.

"I'm sorry! It was wrong of me to make a joke like that. I promise I won't do it again, okay?" Jonesso was at a loss for words. Alono had always been cheerful and ready to joke around. Jonesso didn't know how to handle her when she was like this.

"I'm not upset because of you," Alono replied in a hoarse voice as she rubbed her nose.

After that, she looked down at her hands with desolate eyes.

"Then what got you upset? Please tell me." Jonesso could tell that it had something to do with what happened tonight.

After all the years Jonesso had known Alono, the only person who ever affected her was Eric.

"You're right. It was about Eric. I'm not sure where my mother heard the news about us. She showed me a video today in which she bribed Eric to leave me."

As Alono spoke, she began to sob violently. Jonesso listened quietly as she gently patted Alono on the back.

Alono continued to cry for a long time after that, and then she said with disappointment, "He agreed to my mother's request."

"How could Eric take Mrs. Shen's money? He left Alono for money?"

Jonesso couldn't believe what she heard. For Alono's sake, Eric should have refused the money.

"The video, are you sure it is real?" Jonesso asked.

Mrs. Shen could be bluffing. Jonesso knew that Mrs. Shen could lie for the sake of her daughter's future. However, it would be terrible otherwise.

"I saw it with my eyes. It was the surveillance video of the restaurant. There was also a pen recorder." Alono couldn't believe that the man she had dreamed of for so long was bribed with money.

She recalled a time when she lent three hundred thousand to Eric without interest...

"Was this Eric's plan all along?"

Jonesso could see the despair in Alono's eyes.

Alono was heartbroken and distraught by her family and her beloved.

Jonesso sympathized with her, but she still couldn't believe that Eric would be capable of doing that.

"Don't worry about it. If Eric were that kind of person, then it would be best if he left you. Your mother only brought out his true colors. There's no point in mourning his absence." Eric must have another reason. If that's the case, then Alono should meet with him face to face to have a serious talk, Jonesso thought to herself.

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In the past, she only agreed to go with Rayan to save her family's business. She didn't want Alana to suffer the same fate she had.

As the daughters of wealthy families, marriage was often done for business, not love. Janessa hoped that one day, Alana would be able to marry the man of her dreams.

"My father scolded me that night because I refused Jaka's invitation. After that, I argued with my parents. They told me that I couldn't just marry someone I liked unless that man was also their choice. No matter what happens, they will end up choosing who I marry. I thought Eric and I could overcome these obstacles, but I never expected him to agree to my mother's offer."

Lying on the bed, Alana cried for a long time until she fell asleep.

By the time she was asleep, tears were still streaming down her face.

"Maybe your future will turn out differently. I hope it will."

After Janessa tucked Alana in, she stood up and walked out of the ward. She wanted to borrow a blanket from the nurse so she could sleep more comfortably. However, when she just stepped out of the ward, she saw a figure from the corner of her eye.

As the figure walked around the corner, her face was illuminated by the light.

"Why does that woman look so much like Gracia?"

Janessa overheard that Gracia was in the hospital recovering after her operation. How come she didn't look sick at all?

Gracia snuck out of the ward and went to the staircase. Janessa quietly followed after her. She followed Gracia to a storage room on the twelfth floor.

"Why is Gracia coming to such a place in the middle of the night? What is she doing there?"

Not long after Gracia entered the storage room, a man in a white coat soon followed after her.

Janessa wanted to have a closer look to see what they were up to, but all of a sudden, she heard the sound of footsteps down the corridor. She had no choice but to go back.

The two people inside the storage room embraced tightly under the moonlight shining from the window.

"How did you find a place like this?"

"I couldn't wait a moment longer. You can only stay here for three days before you have to go home. When you return, it would be hard for me to see you. I've been waiting so long for this moment. Come here."

"Hay... You..."