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## **Chapter 146 Torture Her At Midnigh**

There were only a few stars visible in the dark night sky.

In a parking lot a woman in a black windbreaker and with beautiful long hair leaned against her car as another car came up to her.

The car stopped right in front of her.

Sally, the woman in black, was really anxious. She quickly said, "Miss Mo, you are the only one who can help me with this. I don't want to lose my job at the Lu Group. Please talk to Mr. Lu and convince him not to fire <u>me</u>!"

Gracie stared down at this woman coldly and distanced herself. She even flicked the imaginary dust of her coat just to show that she was disgusted.

"So this is what you came to me for at this hour? This is the important thing you needed to talk about?"

Gracie was agitated. It was all because of this woman that Janessa now held such a high post in the company today.

Sally was so dumb that she decided to poison her enemy on the day of such a crucial event. Gracie was furious that she picked such a fool to be in her team.

"Won't it be a problem? If I am forced to leave who will keep you updated about boss's whereabouts? You won't be able to keep up with the details about Mr. Lu when you are not present physically. Does that not bother you?"

Of course, Sally knew what this woman was thinking about. She knew Gracie was only using her. If it weren't for the fact that Gracie had known a lot about Gordon, she wouldn't have agreed to be her teammate. But now she refused to compensate Sally for the loss after she was fired. Sally felt wronged because she poisoned Janessa in order to please Gracie after all.

"You actually think that you are irreplaceable to me?" Gracie looked at Sally in contempt. 'She just has big breasts and no brain at all.' She suddenly remembered all their previous encounters. If someone informed Rayan about it the consequences would be unimaginable.

"You really think that Gordon will be with you, when you are still like this? You are so insignificant in front of Janessa. Don't you see that? She is talented, beautiful and smart. Have you thought where you stand in comparison with her? You want me to clean up the mess that you creating because you did not think through? Sorry! It is your problem, so you have to deal with it yourself." To Gracie even speaking to her was a waste of time. So she pushed her away and got inside the driver's seat of her car.

She wouldn't have ended up like this were it not for Sally's stupidity.

She now needed to find a way to talk to Rayan.

"You can't do this to me Gracie! Do you believe that the situation would be better if Rayan is faced with the truth of it? Will he be happy when he discovers how all of this is your game plan? According to you I can't compete with Janessa. But look at yourself, you are worse than me! Every member of the Lu Group are betting as to who emerge out as a winner in this relationship with Rayan, you or her. Obviously no points for guessing who people think will win!"

After she gave Gracie a piece of her mind, Sally felt lighter. She looked at the other woman in amusement.

'Does she think that she will manipulate me and then throw me away just like this? That will never happen. Nobody knows who will win, until one actually does!'

Gracie was unaware of the bet that was taking place among the employees. She was worried as to who people were betting on more.

But she would not gather that information from Sally.

"All of this is immaterial. Wait and watch who wins in the end. But whatever it is, you will never be Gordon's wife. You are so stupid that you won't even be able to plot against those who are pursuing him! The only thing you can do now is pray for yourself." Then Gracie left quickly leaving Sally alone in the garage.

Finally all alone, Sally looked in rage at Gracie's receding car. She shouted fiercely, "You will regret this, Gracie! Just as heartless as you are, you will see how ruthless I can be."

She was already hatching a plan to get her revenge. Her face looked terribly distorted as her anger increased by the minute.

On the other hand, as Gracie drove away she could not forget what her ex-teammate had said.

Even the employees of Lu Group could see the changed equation between Janessa and Rayan. She felt that Rayan's care for her was not as much as before.

'Rayan is mine; I can't ever let him go. What should I do?

I must get married to him.

Marriage was the only peaceful solution. Anything else would involve crime and revenge.

But Rayan is not ready to talk about it. How do I materialize my plan then?'

Gracie's irritation grew every minute and she drove even faster. Even in downtown she did not check her speed. Then when she took a turn without looking properly, she crashed into another car coming from the other side.

There was a loud noise in the quiet and empty night street.

Barely conscious she dialed Rayan's number somehow. "Help me, Rayan..."

Rayan had just finished taking a shower. Hearing Gracie's voice he knew something was wrong. He called her back several times, but no one answered from the other side. What happened made Rayan had a really bad feeling.

He detected Gracie's location from her last call and went out with his own car.

As he drove to the location, the traffic police called him to inform that Gracie had to be hospitalized. Rayan headed to the hospital really fast.

In the emergency room Rayan saw the crowd but could not locate Gracie. Janessa too after getting the information, rushed over. She was sweating.

"Mr. Lu, why did you ask me to come here?" Janessa was about to go to bed when Rayan called urgently. So she put on some casuals and went to the hospital. But Rayan seemed perfectly fine.

Was he joking at such a late hour?

Without answering Janessa, Rayan caught hold of a nurse and asked, "Where did you take the woman who had a car accident at the crossroad just some time ago?"

"That bed in the far right." The nurse informed after checking the log.

Looking at how angry Rayan looked, Janessa wanted to leave the place immediately. But she was afraid that if something happened to other members of the Lu family, and she thought she ought to stay and help.

When Janessa discovered who the patient was after reaching the bed, she was really shocked.

What was Rayan thinking when he asked her to be there at the middle of the night? To take care of his girlfriend?

He had crossed all limits this time. She was least bothered about this woman's well-being. The moment Janessa saw the bedridden woman, she remembered the horrible soup that Gracie had offered her to drink in the hospital the other day...

Janessa was about to leave when Rayan said, "Complete the hospitalization procedure for me, please."

'He said 'please'?

Since when was he so polite?? Was this Rayan at all?'

She looked at him in suspicion. Though she wanted to leave, she could not refuse his polite request. She felt a little embarrassed.

She then got Gracie's ID card from Rayan to get the job done.

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