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## **Chapter 326 Termination Of Cooperation**

Janessa had been sitting in Rayan's office for an hour, but Rayan was still preoccupied with the documents in his hands, completely ignoring her.

'What a stingy man! Why was he so angry? Just because I left him to deal with Gracie on his own? Even after an hour, he hasn't managed to settle himself down.'

"Hey. Are you still angry?"

Janessa sneered. Rayan pretended not to hear her.

"Hey, you're holding the document the wrong way."

"....." Rayan continued to ignore her as he flipped the document.

'Geez!' Janessa scowled at him. Even though he hadn't touched any paperwork for an hour, he claimed to be working.

Janessa stood up and exited the office. A few minutes later, she brewed a cup of coffee and placed it on Rayan's desk.

The office was filled with the enticing aroma of freshly brewed coffee.

Rayan pursed his lips unconsciously.

For some reason, Rayan became addicted to Janessa's coffee every time he drank it. It wasn't just the taste that made him crave it; he was also hooked on the fragrance.

Rayan, on the other hand, was still holding back. It was all Janessa's fault right now. How could he, as the CEO of a company, settle for a cup of coffee?

Rayan made every effort to ignore the scent, but it was clearly futile.

Janessa had already figured out what was going on in Rayan's head. She drew the cup of coffee closer to his nose. She knew he'd struggle to hold back.

Janessa studied Rayan's face as he approached the coffee.

Janessa leaned against the desk and said, "Don't be adamant. It's absolutely delicious. Are you certain you don't want it?"

At first, Rayan couldn't stop himself, but after hearing Janessa's words, he instantly felt empowered.

He calmed down for a while.

"Hey, if you don't say anything, I'll leave." Janessa put the coffee on the desk. The moment she took a step forward, Rayan grabbed her by the shoulders and cradled her against his chest.

"You finally want to talk to me," she said with a smug smile as she poked his chest with one hand.

"Do you realize what you've done wrong?" Rayan kept a straight face while tightly holding Janessa in one hand and picking up the coffee in the other. Then he sipped it slowly.

Rayan then nodded with satisfaction. Janessa was an expert at making coffee.

"I... I just wanted you to deal with it on your own. Even if I didn't do anything, you did an excellent job," Janessa said proudly as if it was a very important decision.

"Aren't you upset seeing another woman besides me?" Rayan inquired.

It was often believed that women were the most easily annoyed of all people. Now that Gracie had come to provoke her, Janessa should have been enraged. But it just didn't seem like it.

Gracie pestered him, but Janessa remained calm. There were only two possible explanations for Janessa's actions. Janessa either had no feelings for Rayan to care about his affairs or had a lot of faith in him.

However, he wasn't sure which was correct.

Janessa didn't want to argue with him, so she said, "I knew you were over Gracie the moment you went to Y Country to save me regardless of your own life, not to mention that she was with another man behind your back. I don't mean to embarrass you. I just wanted to say that I understand your feelings for her. She was, after all, the woman you once loved. You would never love her again when you knew she had cheated on you.

But nonetheless, she used to be your lover. I'm not going to get involved in this. This is your problem to solve. I don't have to be concerned because I trust you. I stood back because I wanted you to know that no matter what decision you make, I will always support you."

Rayan was captivated by her words, and his eyes shone with affection.

Rayan was dumbstruck at the moment. It turned out that Janessa had thought of everything for him. She knew that he needed to end things with Gracie, and he needed to make the decision himself.

At this point, neither of the two people said anything. They just hugged quietly, knowing each other's heart.

After a while, Janessa pulled herself from his arms and asked, "Well, are you still angry?"

"Thank you." Rayan gently kissed her on the cheek.

"So, now that you are no longer angry, you should work hard. After all, you have to support your family."

"If I work to support my family, what will you do?"

"I'm still on sick leave, so I'm going home to rest." As she spoke, Janessa picked up her bag and was about to leave.

Rayan didn't want to work anymore after looking at the piles of papers on his desk. He had just lost his temper with Janessa and hadn't finished reading a document in an hour, which meant he couldn't get off work on time today.

It was also true that if Janessa remained here, he would be unable to work attentively.

"Let the driver drive you home." Rayan had to let Janessa go home so that he could concentrate on his work.

"I'm going back to my apartment and will pack some of my things I'll need. How about you pick me up after work?" Rayan was unable to refuse Janessa's naughty tone.

"All right, I'll get you after I finish my work."

Janessa returned home after the two of them made a deal.

As soon as Janessa reached her house, she dialed a number she hadn't called in a long time. The phone took a while to connect. "Have you completed your task?" inquired the voice on the other end of the line.

Janessa was astounded to hear this. "I'd like to end our cooperation."

Janessa paused for a moment. It was time to call a halt to this collaboration. It didn't matter if she had to return the money she had borrowed; she had to end it.

Her hatred for Rayan had compelled her to agree to the collaboration. But things had changed because she had fallen in love with

Rayan now. She couldn't do anything to hurt him again.

But it was too late for her to realize.

"Hahaha, do you think you can stop the cooperation whenever you want?"

"What do you mean?"

"Let me tell you the truth. I own the majority of the Lu Group's shares now and have the authority to control the company. Rayan is doomed. Maybe I'll let Rayan go if you can get hold of the top-secret information I want."

"I won't let you succeed, Larry." She would not have collaborated with Larry if she had known from the start that she would have such a development with Rayan.

But now she was stuck.

What should she do?

"Janessa, if you cooperate with me obediently, Rayan may have a chance of survival. If you don't listen to me, you'll face a crushing defeat alongside him."