

Chapter 427 He Owed Janessa An Explanation And An Apology

Rayan had to admit that he had overlooked Edison. He has assumed that Edison would change into a better person after knowing why he was kicked out of the Lu Group. However, now, it looked as if Edison knew something was going on.

Stealthily, Rayan snaked his hand under the table to discreetly compose a text for Corbin.

'Look into what Edison has been doing in the past year.'

His eyes were intently fixed on Edison as Rayan's fingers quickly typed his message.

It was nothing but a couple of words but as a man who had been with Rayan for years, Corbin knew exactly what Rayan meant.

The timing of it all was quite unfortunate for Corbin as he and his lover were just about to reach their climax when Rayan so rudely interrupted them with his demands. The couple had to wrap things up a bit earlier than anticipated.

'Couldn't you have sent the message an hour later, boss?! It's totally inappropriate to disturb someone's sexy time. Ugh!' Corbin could not help himself from complaining in his mind.

Soon after, Corbin left his girlfriend to go to the study and started looking into Edison's whereabouts.

"What do you mean? Rayan, I am also a part of the Lu family. I've caught wind of the news that the company is in trouble so I came back to see if I could be of service to you," Edison argued. He studied the different looks on the faces of the four people in front of him. There was a trace of surprise on Rayan's face. It looked as if one of his darkest secrets had been exposed. On the other hand, Donald looked calm.

Janessa and Sarah looked quite uneasy from their seats.

It was without a doubt that they had no idea about what was going on.

This situation made the game much more interesting.

"Edison, stop it," Sarah urged as she gave Edison a pat on the shoulder.

He had always been obedient to Sarah. However, that did not seem like the case now.

"Auntie, do you agree with what I said? Rayan and uncle are being too harsh on me!" Edison exclaimed. His actions were reminiscent of that of an obedient baby. Edison so innocently complained to his aunt.

Everyone in the room clearly had an earful of every word he said. Edison's attempt to look adorable did not make his argument correct.

"You are being so childish. It's disgusting," Janessa sneered.

The memories of what had conspired seemed to have gotten lost in Janessa's mind. It was not until now that she saw Edison again that she recalled every single thing that happened.

It was not right for a pregnant woman to get into an argument. However, Janessa just could not stomach the sight of him.

Janessa did not want her unborn child to be this close to a man such as him.

Edison's eyes traveled to Janessa. She was casually dressed but one could easily tell that she was pregnant.

The memory of her cooperating with Rayan to set a trap for him was clearly engraved on Edison's mind. The hatred in Janessa eyes brought contentment to Edison's heart.

He liked it when she looked that way.

"You are my sister-in-law, aren't you? You weren't like this when you tried to seduce me..." Edison trailed off as he squinted his eyes at her. One could clearly see that he was enjoying the moment.

It was obvious from the malicious smile on his face that he was reminiscing about the past.

Suddenly, Janessa felt her blood boil. The memory of what transpired in the office was very clear to her. He failed in his attempt to get to her but still, her clothes had been torn away from her. Although Edison was not able to see the entirety of her body, the mere mention of that incident brought her to shame.

"Edison, don't go too far," Janessa said with gritted teeth. Donald and Sarah were completely in the dark.

"What would they think of me now that they heard him say such a thing?" Janessa thought to herself. She was worried that her in-laws would think of her as a dirty woman. That would definitely make their future living arrangements quite difficult.

"Dear sister-in-law... Oh, hold on. You aren't married yet. Legally speaking, you aren't my sister-in-law yet. I guess I should call you by your name... Janessa. You know we had..."

Before he could even finish what he had to say, Janessa took the glass in front of him and poured its contents over his head.

The yellow liquid dripped down from his head to his torso, staining his white shirt.

Donald and Sarah were taken by surprise. They had always known Janessa to be a woman with a good temperament. Her interaction with Edison rendered them speechless.

"I am not done with you yet, Edison! You are going to pay for what you've done!" With those final words, Janessa stormed out of the dining room.

A cold glance darted towards Edison from Rayan's piercing eyes. Not a second after that, Rayan stood up to take his leave and chased after Janessa. When he had finally caught up to her, Rayan took her hand into his but Janessa fiercely shook his hand off.

"Janessa, don't let his words get into your head," he comforted. Rayan thought that Edison had put Janessa into this awful mood.

"He is not part of the Lu Group anymore. I promise you, nothing like that would ever happen again in the future."

His words were tender and caring but they meant nothing to Janessa. Upon hearing what Rayan had to say, she sneered and said, "Is Edison the only person to blame for what happened?" For quite some time, Janessa had been wanting to hear an explanation from Rayan, but so much time had passed and not a word about it left his lips.

She couldn't help but think if Rayan thought of her as someone who didn't care when she was wronged.

Despite the unfortunate situation, not a single tear could be seen from Janessa's eyes. As a matter of fact, she was even smiling.

The smile on her face sent chills to Rayan's spine.

Rayan's eyebrows formed a straight line. Once more, he tried to hold her hand but she, yet again, refused.

He owed Janessa an explanation and an apology. Rayan had planned on figuring out the company's issues first. Only after that had he planned on apologizing and explaining everything to her.

Edison's arrival ruined all of his plans.

"Janessa, please... Let me explain. Let's go back to our room. I'll tell you everything." There was nothing Rayan wanted more than to hold her. He wanted to take her back to their room but Janessa was repulsive of his touch.

Janessa walked back to the bedroom all on her own and lay on the bed.

Disappointment was apparent on Rayan's face. He had anticipated that the incident would bring him trouble. However, back then, falling in love with her never crossed his mind.

It was destiny.

Edison's eyes caught a glimpse of Janessa and Rayan as they headed back to their room. When he heard them having a row, a sly smile escaped Edison's lips.

He had finally fulfilled his task and was looking forward to tomorrow.

"Have some of the seafood and ginseng I got you. Auntie, when you've run out of all of these, let me know so I could bring you more. These are all high quality. There is nothing like them." Rayan had already gone but Donald was still here. Edison thought that he should keep on bragging.

Edison could not help but wonder whatever happened to the people who used to look down on him. Now, he could do whatever he wished to.

"Get the hell out of my house. I don't ever want to see you again!" Donald screamed. Donald's anger led him to strike the table with enormous force. "Where are this man's manners?!" Donald thought to himself.

Now, Donald could not help but regret that he treated him so nicely. Had he known that Edison would turn out to be such an awful man, he would have treated him differently.

From the other end of the table, Sarah sat there, looking unwell. Despite that, she was more concerned about Donald's health.

"Take your things and get out of here. And tell your parents not to go too far." Sarah had no idea what was going on but she knew very well that the man standing in front of her was not the same Edison she knew before.