

Chapter 401 Get Close To Him

'He's talking about work with Wendy in his office?' Rosie put the coffee cup on the table in front of her and turned to Odette.

After drawing Rosie's attention, Odette smiled, "The company has been paying great importance to Wendy. By the way, Mrs. Evans, I heard that Wendy is your cousin. Is it true? Oh, I see! She must've received top priority because of you."

Rosie froze upon hearing her remark. 'Because of me? Nonsense! Kane doesn't even like me. Why would he help my cousin?'

Rosie sat elegantly and said, "Wendy got her role in the Story of Concubine Ivanka on her own, not because of me."

"Is that so?" Odette asked. "Mr. Evans thinks highly of Wendy. If it weren't for him, she wouldn't have gotten the DM endorsement!"

Surprised, Rosie asked, "Wendy got the DM endorsement?"

"She did. They reached a deal just this morning, actually." Odette looked at Rosie cautiously. "Did Mr. Evans not tell you?"

Rosie's face turned grim. Kane had never once talked to her about work. To be precise, he seldom ever spoke to her.

Although they were a married couple, they slept in separate bedrooms. After he got off work, he would either go home very late or go back to his own room. They rarely ever had the chance to speak, let alone talk about work.

'Is there any other couple like us in the world?' she wondered.

Although they had officially gotten married, she still felt uneasy. She was

afraid that he would leave her one day. It really frightened her to live an impoverished life. She would never again allow herself to become poor.

She tried to get close to him. They had been married for so many years, and their parents had been egging them on to have a child. And each time they asked about it, she had no idea how to answer them.

Truthfully, she also wanted to have a child of theirs. If she were to have a child, she could have a foothold in the Evans family. But they never had sex once. How was she ever going to bear his child?

She told Kane's parents that he was too busy. His parents understood their situation, and the two of them moved into Kane's house. They told him to go home every night.

Rosie was happy about how things turned out. In front of Kane's parents, they acted like a loving couple. If they were living with his parents, Kane wouldn't be able to sleep in a separate room anymore. She believed she would be able to trick him into sleeping with her someday.

Just as she had expected, Kane slept in the same bed with her, but that was all there was to it.

No matter how hard she tried to seduce him, it seemed as though he wasn't interested at all. To make matters worse, he even gave her a warning. "Rosie, never forget our prenuptial agreement!" Just by saying that, he completely dispelled her enthusiasm.

Rosie was furious. She lay naked next to him, but he didn't touch her at all. She wondered if he was really a man. After that, he went home even less than he already did.

Over the past few days since the New Year's Eve, he had only been back once. She had no choice but to come here to meet him.

"Mrs. Evans?"

Rosie was pulled back to reality. "What did you just say?" she asked.

"I was talking about Wendy. I really envy that she has you as her backer," said Odette.

Rosie forced a smile and said nothing.

Odette let out a sigh. "This is a hard industry to get into. Just look at the number of students who graduate from the film academy each year! Everyone wants to be famous, but it's not that easy. For a newcomer without a good background, it could take years to even be slightly famous. And by the time they do get famous, they have grown old, and by then, it will be even harder to make something of themselves."

After a pause, she continued, "Wendy is so lucky to have a cousin like you. Without your help, she would've never gotten any good opportunities."

Rosie glared at Odette. "Why are you saying all of this to me?"

Odette felt guilty, but fortunately for her, she was a good actress, and she hid her guilt well. "No reason, really."

"Is that so?" Rosie sneered. "I'm not an idiot. I know Odette is implying that there's something going on between Wendy and Kane! Everyone in the company knows that Kane and I have never been close, so why would he help Wendy for my sake?"

It suddenly dawned on Rosie that Odette and Wendy worked together in the Story of Concubine Ivanka, and it made her understand the situation. "Are you and Wendy at odds with each other?" she asked.

"Not at all! I merely wanted to speak with you, Mrs. Evans."

"Odette, right?" Rosie leaned back against the chair, casting her a cold glance. "You'd best put away all your schemes, because I won't fall for your lies and be your pawn!"

Odette felt embarrassed. Rosie saw through her ulterior motive. She averted her gaze from Rosie's and said, "Ma'am, I honestly don't know what you're talking about."

"Not everyone is an imbecile like you think. Get lost!"

It wasn't that Rosie was smart. She had seen Wendy on a shopping spree with Luke, so she always thought of them as a couple. Luke was Ryan's brother. He was a well-known playboy. Since Luke was with Wendy, it made sense that he would help his girlfriend. However, it had been several months since Rosie last saw them together.

'Are Luke and Wendy still together? Interesting! My cousin is really something!' Rosie thought.

"Mrs. Evans..." Now that she had been exposed, Odette felt annoyed, but she couldn't show it on her face. After a moment of contemplation, she came up with another idea.

Odette grabbed Rosie's hand, but Rosie shook it off immediately. It was as if she had touched something dirty. "Don't touch me!"

Odette fell silent. Even so, she still pretended to be considerate of Rosie.

"Mrs. Evans, now that you've already seen it, I will not lie to you anymore. I've been working in the company for so many years. Mr. Evans may be a cold man of few words, but he's never been a playboy. He never flirts with women, and seldom talks to female employees."

Upon hearing this, Rosie's expression softened. 'So Kane's indifference towards me isn't because of me? It's just because he's like that, huh?'

"He is a nice man, but he's far too excellent. Even though he has self-discipline, there will always be women who'll want to get close to him," said Odette.

Rosie froze for a moment upon hearing that comment. Her eyes turned cold and she clenched her fists. "Who is this woman trying to get close to him?"