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-Nice to meet you, Miss Méndez – Gerard tells her, letting her take his place. Her hands separate from her with some difficulty, because something calls him not to let her go, to protect her-from her. Please take a seat.

-If she allows me before her-Luz turns to the little girl, squats down and extends her hand with a smile-Hello, what's your name?

-I am Charlize Finnick, my father's spoiled princess.

"Nice to meet you, Charlize," she stands up and takes the place that Gerard has left her free.

She tries to stay calm, but her body reacts in a strange way. That tall man, one meter ninety has left her completely dumbfounded, but she quickly removes those thoughts, because no matter how handsome the man is, she cannot think like that... she is not worthy of any man.

-I guess you're aware of what I need from you- Gerard says with the same formal tone that he uses for his clients-

Yes, I was informed of the requirements. I would like her to specify a little more. – Well, it's taking care of her in the mornings, so she can go to school. Take care of her breakfast, give her food. Accompany her to school and then pick her up, give her dinner, her homework, bathe her. All that.

– Perfect, when she is at school, what happens to me?

-You remain free of action, but in the mansion. Since if my daughter has an emergency, you must go for her – Luz nods, while a girl arrives to take the order -. Is something offered to you?

"Orange juice," she tells him, trying to calm down.

-Nothing to eat?

-No thanks.

-Well, I want a vanilla ice cream and for the princess...

-Chocolate! – says the girl raising her hands -.

The girl leaves, while Luz and Gerard's eyes meet, a shiver runs through the man's back, because those eyes are very similar to those of the girl... if only that day he had noticed more in the features that the mask allowed to see or the room would have been more illuminated...

-Miss Luz...-says the little girl and she looks at her sweetly, she is a girl who inspires too much love – Does she know how to comb?

– Hahaha yes, but don't call me Miss Luz, just call me by my name – the girl smiles and begins to ask her other things -.

Charlize makes sure that she knows how to play with dolls, do princess hairstyles, paint with crayons and

that she sing well.

-And finally, Luz... do you know how to read stories?

– Of course, I can even do the voices of the characters.

"Daddy, she's the princess she wanted," she tells her father in a whisper that is heard too loudly.

-Excellent, baby... would you go with George to the car? -she says pointing to a tall and imposing African-American man-

- George! Could you put me the songs that I like?

– Of course, Princess Charlize – the man's voice is serious, but it exudes a

sweetness towards the girl that Luz immediately likes –

– Luz, it was nice to meet you, I hope my dad decides, because I don't think we'll find someone better.

The girl approaches and gestures for him to lower her face, leaves a tender kiss on his cheek, take George's hand and he leaves singing happily.

-It's really very special – says Luz -: -It is. Luz, who had to impress was my daughter and she succeeded. -You have no doubts? Because one thing is all I said, but you have no way of knowing if it's true.

- Luz, I am a lawyer, the best in the city and my job forces me to know how to read people, to know when they are lying, when they are sincere from the heart – he shifts in his seat and crosses his hands on the table, without stopping look at the young I need someone committed, she just needs to know that there is no Mrs. Finnick, she died giving birth to Charlize. "At home she is not mentioned, so as not to provoke sadness in my daughter. No photos or anything like that. My mother lives at home, who spends her time between trips, friends and elegant parties, and my cousin, who works with me in my law firm.... -Wait – Luz says somewhat annoyed – Are you the owner of Finnick and Abbot? -Yes, the best buffet...

-I'm sorry, but I will not agree to work with a man who fires his best employees. 2 Luz stands up with determination, leaving Gerard open-mouthed and somewhat taken aback by 1 his reaction and Luz's words.