

## Mr. Chairman's Devious Wife by Brey Mitchylle

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Charlotte snorted upon hearing her father's words. "Leave the country?" she smirked.

"A tour around the world" Lawrence said as she sliced his steak. It wouldn't hurt for you to take a break."

"Take a break?"

That's what smart people do when they're in the middle of a scandal. They take a break, away from social media. People will soon forget."

Again, Charlotte snorted. She didn't know where this was coming from, but being labeled as a cheater and a traitor wouldn't be easy for a woman like her.

She had already denied the allegations online, and even Daniel's family had issued a statement, asserting it wasn't him. Some of her fans believed her, but others seemed to have become skeptical overnight, digging into her past posts.

They accused her of getting Sofia in trouble and then acting like she was the one with the big heart later on to gain sympathy. T for defame

Charlotte so much that she asked her manager to issue another statement threatening to sue them

"Do you tri beneve Eulanda will let you off? Lawrence asked, his tone calm. That woman is well-known for her petty behavior in the industry. It wouldn't surprise me if she suddenly came up with another scandal to damage your reputation."

Charlotte gritted her teeth. Eulanda... Eulanda Lockhart was indeed a formidable adversary.

"Sofia still isn't answering my calls..."

"I will see her at the office tomorrow, Lawrence uttered. She can't escape this forever. No need to worry about her."

“What? Charlotte narrowed her eyes.

“It’s Eulanda you should be worried about. Lawrence said. Now that Eunice was not in their hands, it would be challenging to fight against Eulanda. Lawrence predicted Eulanda’s retaliation soon. He had been working hard to gain approval from shareholders, and Charlotte’s scandal wouldn’t ruin this

“I already scheduled a flight. First class to Rome. You’ll be visiting the Vatican, taking pictures, and acting as if you’re unbothered, he added before he savored the steak.

“What about Sofia Charlotte asked.

“I’ll take care of her.”

Charlotte frowned. Both Sofia and Daniel weren’t answering her calls, and Lawrence wasn’t letting her leave the mansion. “Alright,” she uttered before getting up. I’m done eating.”

“You haven’t eaten anything.” Lawrence immediately pointed out

“I’m full,” she said before walking out of the dining room. The moment she arrived in her room, she quickly number.

“Hmmm, a woman’s voice answered her.

“Dad is kicking me out, Charlotte said.

“That man’s insane. Lianne Ramirez, Charlotte’s mother, immediately replied.

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“Are you drunk?” Charlotte looked at the time. It was not even rufe in the evening yet! Almost immediately, she started regretting calling her very own mother. Just what was she expecting to happen?

“Just a glass of wine is all

Charlotte did not believe that. However, she could only sigh in response. Just what was she expecting from a raging alcoholic?

Your father only cares about the money, Lianne uttered. "And his reputation. Both of us know this."

Sadly, that was true, Charlotte knew it, and everyone who knew Lawrence knew it.

"I can't leave."

"Why?"

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thing when I was pregnant with your Lianne chuckled. For some reason, Charlotte could easily other's current state. She must be on the couch, a wine glass in her hand, watching TV. Her hair was greasy. ment was dry.

ment flashed in Charlotte's eyes. Again... Just what was she expecting?

want me to talk to him?" Lianne asked.

otte shook her head. "No." It would be pointless. Her father had this obsession with the LH GROUP. She realized this en she was a teenager, and her father told her never to slight Sofia, or he would throw her into the streets, and she would obably end up like her mother.

That scared Charlotte to death. Since then, she has started hating Sofia. Why couldn't she ever disagree with her and do verything she wanted to do? Why

couldn't she express her real emotions around that woman? What was so special about

her?

Charlotte quickly realized her father was after Sofia's wealth. Because of this, Charlotte slowly learned to make Sofia dance in her palm. Then she vowed to take everything away from Sofia.

"Then... why are you calling me? You know I don't have money. Your father owes me child support for years-

\*BEEP\* Charlotte ended the call without waiting for her mother to finish her words. Then she promptly blocked her mother's number.

That woman had been insane for as long as she could remember, yet she still called her. Why?

Because she thought she could talk to her without being judged! She was her mother, after all! Almost immediately, she recalled Sofia's mother-Eunice Lockhart.

That woman was kind, nice, warm-everything that Lianne was not. Despite being her stepdaughter, Eunice never once treated her as if she were not a part of her family. However, instead of feeling grateful, Charlotte could only feel anger and jealousy.

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or a while, Selia wondered why this woman was here instead of being in Europe Josel told her that Charlotte was going to eave last night. Sadly, Sona had no choice but to face the situation head con

She immediately turned around and started walking towards the elevator, the sound of her heels echoed against the floor

“Wait Charlotte said as she tan behind Soha “Wait can we talk I wait Charlotte grabbed Sola's arm “Please

This place is full of CCTV Sota said She forgot to in the reading of her phone on, so she quickly made her way awards the well lit area with good and working cameras. She was not foolish enough to let this woman try and turn Situation around.

“It was a mistake Charlotte uttered. “Daniel and I made the make of falling in love

Sofia snorted. So. Charlotte came here to tell her that they were in love? For some reason, Sola thought the woman was here to deny everything or apologize.

When Sofia woke up this morning, she was already aware of the tatement that was issued by the Beaumont Family and Charlotte’s agent.

It was not them.

Apparently, someone used their photos to create a believable deep fake to cause some problems. They already threatened some legal measures to the one who was trying to ruin their reputation.

Obviously, this already attracted the sympathy of many netizens, and some even apologized to Charlotte.

So. denying it would be to Charlotte’s benefit.

When Sotia said nothing. Charlotte’s tears started falling from her eyes. “I love him. He the reason why he never broke up with you is that I don’t want to see you hurt. We don’t want to hurt you.”

Really? Now, it was Sofia’s fault? Was this woman delusional? “Were you expecting me to slap you?” Sofia suddenly asked. She could not help but think that this woman was trying to audition for a show. She wanted to turn around and check for a camera crew nearby but chose not to.

“You can have him, Sofia said before leaning towards Charlotte until their faces were just inches apart “He is all yours”

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Sota did not let heroes he used her other hand to remove Charlone's hand from her arm. Then she held her head high as she walked towards the elevators leaving Charlene behind

The moment the elevator doors closed Sona's calm face finally showed some emotion. She leaned against the walls of the elevator as she pained her chest. She did not kiss what Charlotte's moves were but she was certain that it was not anything

"Mas Max Amores welcomed her

elevator doors opened "I have been trying to call you"

"I am fine." Sofia said as she accepted the coffee that Miss Amores handed her  
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office more frequently and treating my staff as if they were yours. You cannot threaten to Sud, nonchalance apparent in her voice. Obviously, this reaction was enough to surprise Daniel

up from Sott's chair. It was not me." Daniel said

Soda placed the velvet box on the table. You may take the ring and leave."

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You expecting me to welcome you with open arms?" Soñia snapped back  
are going to break up with me over some fake photos?" Daniel asked, anger  
and disbelief flashing in his eyes.

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s man can act. Sods thought inwardly

ake Soda smirked "You really think you can fool me do you

Even an expert said that it was perfectly-

Sofa sorted "Leave I don't want to see your face ever again

"I told you it wasn't me. Sofia this-

"Why don't you go back to your mother and cry like the baby that you are?  
Perhaps she will be convinced that they were fakes" Sofia said.

"You-

You must have forgotten one thing, Daniel. I work in the fashion industry, I  
work with photographers. I know how to spot a fake photo

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Daniel frowned

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"Don't you Trust me

"This?" Sonia looked at him

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“Do you really think that I could do that to you? Sofia, we have been together for years. Why would suddenly do something so crazy when we are already planning our marriage. This

“Alex”

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“Now why would he do that to you!” Solia asked

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If anything only Alexander would reap the benefit of our breakup

went her eyes. It seems that Daniel was right about on that Alexander had a hand in this area. “You really are yourself. Solia said “Why would your brother waste his time on you when he is already managing the company. Why believe that you are a threat?”

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gain, Sofia snorted. “Charlotte was in the parking lot earlier. She told me how in love you were

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What?”

She told me the reason why you didn't dare to break up with me was that she did not want you to hurt me. Both of us don't want to hurt me.” Solia smiled. “So let me do the honor of breaking up with you instead?”

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Do you really think that will happen now? Daniel loosened his tie "Look I know I got your hopes up, but I realized that you are not the type that should be in my family

Charlotte immediately narrowed her eyes

"The Beaumont Family will never accept you. Daniel added.

To Charlotte, his words were akin to a dull knife that was slowly being stabbed in her chest. However, instead of pain, she could only feel anger. She felt her blood boil from intense fury.

At the end of the day, Daniel chose Sofia because of their families. Because Sofia belonged to his world. Isn't this comical!

"Honestly what were you expecting Daniel said, his tone cold. It is best that we do not see each other again after this. What we had is not that serious. Is there a need to ruin our future because of a mistake? A lapse in our judgment!

Charlotte stood there

a statue. At this point, she did not even recognize the man before her.

"Why was it too easy for you to say that? Was it really like a lapse of judgment? Was it just a mistake?"

"Please Charlotte

am not sending you

"Did you

now I'm tired I didn't have any sleep last night. Again, Daniel took another glass of wine. The

secretary can drive you back to your father."

and me abroad?" Charlotte asked

in't you?"

to answer. Instead, he sat on his couch and simply ignored her question.

me to leave the US so you can fix your relationship with Sofia and she will agree to marry you. Charlotte said as it hit her like a bolt of lightning

end of the day. Sofia still won. Now, Lawrence and Daniel are sacrificing her just to appease Sofia! At the end of the day Charlotte was simply the pawn in this game.

Charlotte snorted. Her anger was about to swallow her whole.

What was so special about that woman! She only had her money and family name! Why was everyone choosing her?

I am warning you, Daniel said. "Do not attempt to talk to Sofia again. I don't want you to complicate the situation further I will be marrying Sofia, and if you still want to be with me, then you have to accept the fact that you will remain in the background"

As a mistress, Charlotte thought inwardly

She gritted her teeth. She wanted to slap Daniel and hurt him in return, but that would be too simple. Charlotte was never someone who liked to play it cool and nice.

No. She wanted to get even.

"Don't you dare tell her about my plans. Daniel reminded her as if he could read her mind. "Your father knew about it Unless of course, you wanted your father to suffer the repercussions of our actions along with me. But you wouldn't want that, would you

Charlotte bit her lower lip so hard.

"You will be nothing without him, Daniel said before he leaned back and closed his eyes. It took her a couple of minutes to

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10miled. Not long after, Charlotte found herself in an unfamiliar van. She was certain that it didn't belong to her father, as it was simple and crude. It was not something that a celebrity like her

Faded, froming She wondered how Harper was able to obtain

handed her an envelope he quickly opened it and almost immediately, her expression changed.

you preservation Charlone frowned. “Where did you get this

even that is not important. The most important thing is that it belonged to Daniel Beaumont,”

Charlotte read the information that was included

mclog “Why did you give me this

You can use it, Harper said

“You are working for someone Charlotte glared at her PA “Wa Sola

I cannot tell you who I am working for, but I can tell you that it was not Miss Sola, Harper answered without batting an

So whoever it is that you are working with wanted me to get pregnant? Charlotte narrowed her eyes. She checked the remaining contents of the envelope and realized that there was something else in there. It was a check. “Ten million dollars?”

“Your career is probably dead unless you do some things that are against your values,” Harper said. “Ten million is not a

lip you out. Me

Moreover having a Beaumont in your stomach is going to be your ticket to an even

better life

Charlotte said nothing

“If you choose to do this, then you will be known as the woman who was the mother of the first grandchild of the Beaumont Family Harper said

“Aren’t you scared that I will tell Daniel about this?”

“Will that benefit you?” Harper responded. “Will your loyalty change his mind?”

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"Give her coffee... Sotia got up and walked towards where Teresa was sitting "I never expected to see you sitting in my office without an appointment

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-in-law. Soha said. She was not in the mood to act cordial with someone like this. Almost immediately. Teresa's expression changed. "You are not breaking up with DanielTM

Sofia smiled but did not say a word. Instead, she sat opposite the woman. "Are you here to threaten me?" she asked.

"I would never do such a thing"

Then why are you here Mrs. Beaumont?" Sofia asked, her voice calm.

"Because I don't remember having an appointment with you

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"Your son cheated on m me. Sotia said She co

think you are in any position to act like nothing happened. Unless you are here to threaten

fathom why this woman was acting hostile towards her.

"I know it was you who led the scandal. "Teresa said. "Just this alone is enough to ruin your credibility. You intend to harm the Beaumont Empire by accepting the proposal and releasing the scandal the very next day. If I release this to the media-

"Ah." Sofia nodded. She leaned back and crossed her legs. So... she was able to figure it out. Sadly, she has no proof of this matter. Sofia smiled and looked at Miss Amores who just arrived with Teresa's coffee. Seeing this, Teresa added.

"Our team was able to confirm that the images are fake. It was not Daniel. There was no cheating"

"If there was no cheating then may I know why you are here, Mrs. Beaumont?" Sofia asked, the smile on her face did not vanish. "Because right now you sound so desperate for this marriage. Am I missing something?"

Teresa narrowed her eyes at Sofia. She never expected Sofia to back down and immediately warm up to her. She was only here to inform Sofia that she knew about this woman's scheme.

"Daniel is going to marry you... and you are going to walk down that aisle with him. Teresa declared.

Hearing this, Sofia frowned. She cannot understand why this woman had the confidence to actually do this kind of thing. However, now that Sofia carefully

thought about it, she quickly realized that Teresa seemed so used to doing something like

this.

Does this mean she has been doing this for a while now? If so, does this mean all the things that Daniel has achieved in the past were not actually something that he did on his own? Sofia did not know that Daniel actually had a mother who would do everything to protect him.

“And if I say no?” Sofia asked.

“You see.. Teresa smiled. “Daniel had leukemia when he was younger. Then he had depression and for a while, he had become suicidal

“You are going to use mental health to scare me?” Sofia abhorred these kinds of people.

If she was right, Teresa would simply twist the narrative against Sofia. These days, gaining sympathy from social media is

easy.

One could easily spin a sob story of a broken-hearted man who willing to do everything for the woman that he loved who unfortunately left him because of something that he did not do

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Soda sorted. She did not want to bear this nonsense anymore. At first, she thought this woman was just trying to intimidate her, but she was actually going to use her son's life as a wager in her wicked game.

Why was she willing to do this as for Daniel to marry Soba? Was she simply twisted or something else is happening.

Was this the actual reason?

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"How comical, Sofia sneered as she looked at the older woman before her. "I did not intend to ruin your son. All I wanted was to leave the relationship. I don't want you forcing my hand. She could not help but smile. This woman thought that something like this would be enough to intimidate her.

Was she banking on the fact that Sofia liked Daniel in the past?

What a wicked woman!

"Whether I am forcing your hand or not," Teresa smiled as she got up. "Only time will tell." She started walking towards the door. "Ah," she stopped walking. "Did you know that your father died of apparent suicide as well?"

Sofia froze. No. Her father did not.

Seeing her reaction, Teresa smirked. "I really hope you can come by sometime for the wedding planning. I am certain that Daniel would be excited

that you decided to actually marry him after everything."

narrowed her eyes at the woman's back. She never thought that Daniel's mother would be completely different from her expectations. On the outside, Teresa looked like she did not know anything about the business. She had overlooked the fact that she was able to stay married to a Beaumont for years!

Simply put it, this woman was not simple!

However, she is not going to let that woman win!

“That woman might be a member of the Triad,” Alexander said the moment she told him about Teresa. After the woman left, she focused on her job and chose to forget about her threats. Then she asked Alexander to come get her as they needed to undergo a few treatments with Hugo.

She was scheduled to have the treatment the other day but had to postpone it because of her current circumstances. / much as possible, she did not want to be seen with Alexander at that very crucial moment.

“The Hong Kong “Triad?” Sofia frowned. This was completely unexpected!

I had suspicions that she is connected to Dr. Mulach and might be the one who poisoned my mother.”

“Are you saying that she is-”

“She was my father’s mistress. He got her pregnant when my mother was on her deathbed.”

Sofia did not know how to react. She stared at his handsome side profile as the car moved in the streets of Illinois. He looked rather serious, but this was nothing new as he would sometimes have this face- especially when talking about business

“I am fine,” he looked at her, meeting her eyes before he suddenly reached out and held her hand. “If it would be that easy. I would not have asked for your cooperation.”

Sofia’s lips thinned. He was actually right. If this were easy, she would not have agreed to marry him. However, she did not know how complicated this was when she chose to marry him. At that time, all she could see was a dark abyss brought upon by her anger.

Now, she realized that making a decision while angry was a bad move.

So, does she regret it?

The simple answer is no. Alexander is definitely a very good ally. It would be hard if they were enemies.

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“Hugo found something that could help you out. Let’s hope it will be good, he promptly changed the topic

“Right... of course,” she immediately nodded. Thank you.” The poison alone is something that she found very difficult to handle. Luckily, Alexander had many connections. “Although this makes me wonder.”

“Hm?” he raised an eyebrow.

“Did you suspect that I too... have it?” she asked.

“Yes,” he answered without batting an eyelid. “I suspected that you have been poisoned.”

She nodded in response. If only it would be that easy to prove who did it. If only she had a way to trace Dr. Mulach’s connections. She turned her head away as she thought about the connection between Dr. Mulach and Teresa. “Do you think the reason why Teresa had been so confident that she could do something to me is because of her connections?”

Now, everything seemed to click!

Connections with th

the Mafia could easily boost one’s confidence!

However, does this m... .. inat.... her life is going to be in danger from now on?

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u are staying with me. It would be hard for her to track us.”

ve someone follow us around?” she asked. She had been spending some time with him, but she had yet to ailing her!

been a few instances of people following behind us, but none of them succeeded.” he smirked “Beaumont as a team of people working for us in secret. Deleting our social media presence, dealing with scandals, taking care

iness, and everything that you could think of. Just like LH Group, Beaumont Empire has developed a team d protect us all the time.”

Sofia nodded. She knew that her grandmother always had people following her around. She mentioned this the last time that they met. Speaking of her grandmother, Sofia sighed.

After Teresa visited her, she immediately called Eulanda only to be told that she was already out of the country! She was on a jet to the Maldives!

Sofia felt helpless about her grandmother, but a part of her wondered if Eulanda was actually telling her the truth. At time of the call, Sofia chose not to ask any more questions. If her grandmother wanted her to know, then she would probably immediately tell Sofia!

“It could be from anyone. From Lawrence or Daniel or even Charlotte. So. I have actually offended a lot of people lately she does not even know who was trying to hurt her anymore.

“Hmmm...” Alexander nodded. “Either way. Teresa is currently not making huge moves. She would not want to attract any attention now that her son is in the spotlight”

“Does your father know?” she asked.

“Perhaps he shrugged in response. “Sadly, I stopped caring a long time ago about his thoughts”

Sofia sighed inwardly. Right now, she realized something that she never thought of before.

They have no lack of money or properties or things that could attract anyone’s envy, but their family dynamics are extremely complicated.

“Ah... here we are... Alexander said as the car entered what looked like an ordinary parking lot of a building However, the moment they entered, darkness immediately surrounded the car before she saw some LED lights around them.

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Apparently, that is not even important. Whoever it was that he was hiding from was not someone she should know. While Sofia had many assumptions, she also knew that Hugo would not verify anything

o she chose to close her mouth and focus on the treatment. Sot eyed the large testing machine in front of her. Hugo had mentioned some fancy names earlier, but at the end of the day, they were testing machines meant to test poison

“We are ready,” Hugo said as he gestured for her to walk toward the patient bed, where they were going to give her the first dose of treatment. After the treatment, weakening of the body is normal. Call me if something happens”

“Something like what?” Alexander asked

“If she were to start puking blood?”

“No.”

“Tam kidding, Only one mouse experienced that, but that was because it was already so old.”

For some re



sofia did not find that funny at all. She finally sat on the bed and stared at the various vials in front of her

“Fever and muscle pain are the worst things that could happen to a human.” Hugo said. “Since the poison was still new to your blood, it did not cause any damage, so getting rid of it should be easy.”

Soha nodded and lay down, her gaze fixed on the ceiling.

“Now, calm down. I will start with the treatment.”

“Do you need me to hold your hand?” Alexander suddenly asked as he stood beside her bed.

“Uhno” She was not really scared of needles or something like that.

“What do you mean, hold her hand? Do you think she’s a child or something?” Hugo rolled his eyes. Seeing Alexander’s expression, Sofia suddenly said.

“Yes. I need you to hold my hand” She was not scared of the hospital or needles, but for some reason, she wanted to hold his hand! Almost immediately, Alexander’s expression lit up like a child who just received his candy

“How gross Hugo said.

“Isn’t this why you are still single!”

“Who told you that I am single?” Hugo fired back. “Alright. Hold each other’s hand. I will now start the treatment.”

And just like that, the treatment finally started.

It took Sofia almost three hours before Hugo finally said it was done. This time, she already started feeling the fatigue that Hugo told her about Luckily, Alexander was with her.

“To be honest, I thought she would faint or something Hugo said. He was currently looking at some samples of her blood in his microscope “It turns out, she is responding very well. Ah should I get more blood?”

“You can try.” Alexander mumbled. He had been standing next to Sofia since the treatment started. Sofia asked him to leave or even find a chair, but for some reason, he refused to let go of her hand. In the end, he stood beside her

for three hours straight! Actually, Sofia was starting to feel guilty. She never expected him to do this, but she also does not have the heart to tell him to stop

Was she acting like a spoiled brat?

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Probably

Was she like it?

Definitely!

“Alright. I will do it next time. Hugo said. He finally removed his eyes from the microscope and turned toward Sofia “I was night. It is easier to get rid of the poison since it is fairly new to your system. However, I would advise you to take a few days of rest as it could get tiring. I don’t want you fainting in the middle of your office. Your husband would probably kill me if that happened,” Hugo said.

Sofia said nothing. Instead, she tried to get up but immediately felt dizzy, Luckily. Alexander immediately helped her out. He caught her body, and instead of just helping her stand, he actually lifted her up into his arms!

“Is that necessary Hugo asked. “We have some-”

“We are leaving”

said. “We will see you on the next treatment.”

“Hmmm...” Hugo med “Alright. You leave. I won’t see you o

What’s with this man Sofia wondered inwardly. However, she seemed too tired to answer her own question. So, she closed her eyes and leaned against his chest. She thought of resting, perhaps taking a nap on their way home, but when Sofia woke up, she was already on the bed.

She blinked, her gaze on the familiar ceiling.

She was inside his room, she thought. She stared at the warm glow coming from the lamp next to her bed. Just as Hugo said. she was indeed feeling very tired. Still, her grumbling stomach stopped her from falling asleep. In the end, she slowly sat on

the bed

That was when she realized that Alexander was not inside the room. The spot next to her remained untouched. Does that mean he chose to stay in the guest room tonight?

Impossible. He had been sleeping next to her, and the two of them seemed to have a silent understanding that both of them were still not ready for a physical relationship, Was she wrong after all

She looked at her phone that was placed on the bedside table and took it. Seeing the time, Sofia frowned. It was already two in the morning.

Does that mean he really slept in the guest room?

But why does this bother her so much?

She got up and wobbled toward her robe. Her stomach was grumbling, begging for her to eat anything. Slowly, she got out of the room and tiptoed toward the stairs. To her surprise, however, she heard Alexander's voice nearby.

It seems that he was talking to someone,

A meeting?

So, he was still in his office, working?

"I understand..." Alexander said. "I have already checked the contracts, and I will get back to you very soon... uhuh... yes. That would be perfect. My secretary will take care of everything. Yes About that project-"

Sofia did not mean to eavesdrop, but for some reason, the more she listened to him, the more she wanted to listen to his

cold voice. Slowly, she peeked into the small gap in the office door and found him in front of his laptop. He was sitting on the table, wearing his white shirt while having a cup of coffee.

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So, he was indeed having a specting, but it was already two in the morning. Does this mean that his employees are still working at this time? Isn't this against the labor code or something?

Still, this is no longer Sofia's concern. She was about to continue walking toward the kitchen when her gaze landed on his

face.

Currently, Alexander had a serious look on his face as he listened to someone's report. His lips were thinned, and his perfectly carved eyebrows were slightly furrowed, giving the impression that the report did not impress him. Aside from this man's very good skin, the structure of his face was very good too.

If he were not born wealthy, he would probably become some model and would be perfect for a magazine's center page. Being shirtless would suit him. She immediately debated if walking on a runway would suit him too. He is tall and definitely someone that would look good wearing those clothes but the fact that other people would be staring at his body does not actually sound too go

After all, he is alrea

ried man.

"A penny for your thoughts?" a deep mellowed voice

interrupted her stupor.

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ofa became soengrossed in her thoughts about Alexander's plan model that the adding ight next to her

out in her musings, she took a step back only to manage the dance and be to see herself tilting backward, arms flailing in futile attempts to regain stability

In the nick of time strong arms wrapped around her preventing her from falling. She found herself caught in the firm embrace of Alexander. Their proximity met his intense gaze

She felt her heart skip a beat

Careful there," he said, his voice

with the tone of a warning

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shivers down her spine started out gratis, trying to regain her composure. His hands lingered on her arms for a moment longer than necessary, the waters of his soul leaving an

impression on her

cleared her throat as she tried her best not to notice their close proximity.

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Thank you she managed to utter, her voice a tad breathless. He nodded a subtle smile playing on his lips. You surprised

see I'm me" Unsatisfied with her own response, she added. "I didn't see you. I mean I saw you sitting on the chair but I did not see you standing next to me. So uh"

Seeing the playful smile on his face, Sofia stopped talking. She could feel her cheeks heat up like she was about to explode

What is going on now?

"I-I should probably go. You should go back to your meeting," she said

"Were you looking for me?" he asked.

"No. Of course not.

“HmMMM he nodded.

“Really. Why would I look for you? I was about to go to the kitchen to eat something Right. I am hungry, and 1- Sofia continued to stand in front of Alexander, the awkward tension hanging in the air like a thick fog. She shifted on her feet trying to break the silence with a forced laugh.

“Yeah, hungry. I was just hungry, she mumbled, avoiding his intense gaze. His teasing smirk only intensified the awkwardness. Why was she talking like like the was trying to lie her way out of this? She was really hungry! That was the reason why she was here!

He stepped a bit closer, the proximity making her heart race again. “Hungry for what? Or should I say, hungry for whom?” he teased, his voice low and suggestive

Sofia’s cheeks flushed even more. Her eyes widened, unable to process his words. Was he was he flirting with her? Did she really hear him say that? Was she hallucinating?

Perhaps, this was a part of the treatment?

\*I-I don’t know what you’re talking about. I just wanted a snack. Maybe a sandwich or something,” she said.

Alexander leaned in slightly, his lips dangerously close to hers. that so?” he whispered, his breath sending shivers down her spine.

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Sofia felt her breath hitch She took an involuntary step back Alexander’s teasing smile widened, and he continued to playfully toy with the moment

Looking for a midnight snack?” he asked. At this point. Sofia’s mind was already buzzing with ideas for a midnight snack and only a few of them involved eating actual food that would fill her stomach.

Sofia could almost taste the unspoken desire in the air. She bit her lip nervously, feeling a magnetic pull between them.

“I should go” she stammered, attempting to regain some semblance of composure. But as she turned to leave. Alexander’s hand gently caught her arm. pulling her back towards him. The closeness was overwhelming, and for a moment, their lips were dangerously close, almost grazing each other.

“How about I come with

“What

To the kitchen

lifted a sexy eyebrow

“Oh.”Why was she thinking that he would come with her to the bedroom:

“I was busy earlier, so I ordered something. I hope you don’t mind. I can help you heat it if you want?”

She blinked. Why was she thinking about something else again?

Was this some sort of side effect from the treatment? Sofia’s mind turned into a whirlwind. It was buzzing, tempting her to do something about her desire.

A charged pause filled the room before he finally released her, a wicked smile playing on his lips. “Shall I help you heat it?” he asked. “Let’s go.” he said as he grabbed her hand and slowly pulled her towards the kitchen.

This time. Sofia followed behind her without saying another word. She eyed his hand that was holding hers. It wrapped around her small hands like a blanket. She found it warm and somehow assuring.

Soon enough. Sofia watched as he expertly heated the soup and some other food using the microwave.

“How are you feeling?” he asked.

“Lightheaded.” she uttered. “Like my mind refused to process anything. She immediately regretted thinking about him in a magazine. That must be the reason why her head started buzzing with some suggestive ideas, right?

“Hmmm he leaned towards her. She quickly leaned back.

“What are you doing?” she asked.

“I was going to see if you have a fever.”

“You are leaning closely-

“With my forehead.”

Sofia’s heart pounded in her chest as Alexander’s forehead pressed gently against hers, his hand securing her waist. The warmth of his breath on her skin sent a shiver down her spine, and she couldn’t help but feel a magnetic pull between them.

Just what exactly is this man doing right now?

“Hey,” she mumbled. “Are you doing this because you think I won’t remember this tomorrow,” she stared at his incredible eyes. Up close, it looked even more beautiful

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Damn! She always knew that he was good-looking but this is simply...

She really wanted to sound casual despite the fluttering in her stomach but how could she do something like that while staring at someone as good-looking as this man?

“And why wouldn’t I want you to remember this?” he asked.

“Then...” she swallowed. “Are you flirting with me right now?” She wanted to pretend not to notice and that it was not bothering her. But she couldn’t.

She did not see any point in any of that. After all, they were already married under the law. She bit her lower lip

They were married, y attempting to steady

“Maybe?” he asked.

unspoken tension between them felt like uncharted territory. She took a deep breath,

“1” she swallowed. Sofia’s cheeks flushed, and she attempted to lighten the mood. “Well, I mean, legally, we are married, right? So, it’s not really flirting.



Just... playful banter between spouses. She offered a tentative smile, unsure of where this conversation was heading

His eyes bore into hers, the playful glint intensifying. "Playful banter, huh?" he echoed, his hand on her waist tightening slightly. "I think we can do better than that."

Before she could react, his lips hovered over hers, the warmth of his breath sending a thrilling shiver through her. Sofia's breath caught in her throat as their lips almost met, a hair's breadth away from a kiss. The tantalizing nearness left her wanting more.

His lips barely grazed hers before he pulled away, leaving Sofia breathless and yearning for something she couldn't quite

nate.

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"Food's ready..." he smiled as if their lips did not just touch, just now,

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had created She walked into her offer call a little groggy Mexander med she stay at home ber die thought here Mice Aries words echoed is her head as she settled into her r

"Coffer" she mumbled while massaging het temples. She really did not feel well, but the preferend hiding in her offfein staying with him in his room in his bed. She could not fathom how she survived the right after that me nunder. All de ännu

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otoshoot this afternoon, night" Sota asked

Everything has been prepared. The location has been decorated well. I sent images of the decorations done by our Lest might to your tablet Miss Amores said handing her a tablet

Right Soha examined the images and nodded "Good" Then, she took a sip of her hot coffee, hoping it would make her feel better or at least more awake.

"Miss Mr. Lockhart called this morning. He said he would drop by and talk to you Shall I let him in?"

"Let him in." Soha said. Her grandmother assured her she would take care of Lawrence, but it was not yet the time Her grandmother told her that someone might be supporting Lawrence from behind the scenes, and she wanted those people to "come out before making her move. Miss Amores nodded.

"Here's the thing you asked me to find the other day," Miss Amores handed her a folder. Soha's expression froze:

"You found something" she asked. The to her current situation, he had to limit her contact with Karma. However, there were various ways for them to exchange information and one of them was through her secretary

Her secretary checked her email and scheduled her day, having access to most of Soha's things. Moreover. Alexander told her that she could trust Miss Amores. So, she had asked Karma to contact Miss Amores directly, and the latter would take care of it. One of their codes was to inform her about the thing she asked Miss Amores to find

She quickly opened the folder and soon saw a lot of details. The more she read, the uglier her expression became. It seemed Lawrence had been busy for quite a long time now. Soha had already fired her driver, but she could not find any logical reason to fire the Production Manager Mrs Phelps, as she could not find anything against the woman. She had asked Miss Amores to look into the woman's financial records reports, and previous projects, but she could not find proof that the woman was working for Lawrence

The leak she found earlier could not be used against Mrs Phelps the woman was working under LH Design, a subsidiary LH Group Mrs Phelps could simply use this fact to her advantage, claiming she provided vital information to the CEO of LH Group

Because of this Sofia had been doing her best to find something else—something that could finally nail this woman down

“Call Mrs. Phelps and have security on standby, Sofia said, her face serious

Finally, Karina found something! It turned out that Mrs Phelps had been secretly colluding with a rival company to steal LH Designs innovative product designs. Instead of being committed to her company’s success, she had been tunneling confidential information about upcoming products, manufacturing processes, and technological advancements to a competitor.

To cover her tracks, Mrs. Phelps had set up a network of muddlegens who acted as intermediaries between her and the rival company. These middlemen discreetly provided the stolen information in exchange for hefty sums of money. The rival

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congan, in turn, started producing counterfeit versions of 111 Designs products, flooding the market and eroding LH Designs market share

Just like other companies 111 Design had problems with counterfeiting. They had been working with authorities to try and reduce the fake products made abroad. However, Sofia did not see this problem going away as the market for fake products had become larger over the years

Who would have thought that someone was directly giving the design technology to counterfeiters?

Not long after, Mrs Phelps walked into her office, a gentle smile on her face. That’s right. The woman had been working here for more than ten years. She was one of the first employees of LH Design and was considered an expert in her field.

Before Sofia knew about Lawrence, Charlotte, and Daniel, she actually thought of giving the woman a promotion. Sofia

new that she would soon take over 111 Design as the heir of L11 Group. Her mother wanted her to gain experience, and that was what she had been doing since she started working under LH Design.

However, it seems that there are things that she must experience as the upcoming head of LH Group, and this is one of

stured for Mrs. Phelps to sit on the couch as she got up and walked towards the single-seater

at something serious happened with the production. Mrs. Phelps said, smiling

Do you want coffee!” Sofia held her cup to her lips as she observed the woman’s reaction. Right now, Mrs. Phelps looked really calm—too calm. The woman was already in her late forties. If she was right, she would turn fifty soon.

“Tea would be time, thank you, Mrs. Phelps said. Miss Amores le the room to get her tea.

(far, production has been fine. This was all thanks to your hard work. Sofia smiled.

“Thank you for your praises, but this was not just because of me. I have a team of hardworking people behind me. Mrs. Phelps said humbly. On the outside, this woman was the perfect team leader. She’s warm, she’s comforting, yet she would not hesitate to delegate tasks to her team or reprimand them if they made a mistake.

To put it simply, the woman was a really good leader.

When the position of creative director opened, many expected her to apply for the position

“What do you think of the company so far. Mrs. Phelps Sofia asked.

“The company is doing well. However, we need to make some adjustments when it comes to our goods. I believe it is time that we add some luxurious items, something that would cater to a more upscale market. Mrs. Phelps continued, sipping her tea as Miss Amores returned with it.

Sofia nodded, taking in Mrs. Phelps suggestion. “Luxurious items, you say? That’s an interesting perspective. What kind of products are you thinking about?”

Mrs. Phelps leaned back in her chair, considering the question. “Well, I was thinking of introducing a line of premium accessories – high-quality materials, elegant designs. It could elevate our brand and attract a different set of customers, ones willing to pay a bit more for something exclusive.”

Sofia thought about it for a moment. “That’s an intriguing idea. I could diversify our offerings and open up new opportunities. I appreciate your forward-thinking approach.”

Mrs. Phelps smiled, seemingly pleased with Sofia’s response.

Thank you, Sosa, I believe in adapting to market trends and staying ahead. It’s essential for the company’s growth.”

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“What?” Mrs. Phelps’s facial expression immediately changed. “Sofia, I don’t know what you’re talking about. Why would I betray you?” she chuckled as if the mere idea of betraying Sofia was something comical. “Whoever is saying this must know that you wanted me to become the next creative director and wanted to ruin my reputation. But you already know that, right?”

Sofia pursed her lips, unable to understand why the woman seemed so calm. Was it because she was innocent, or was she simply good at pretending? Sofia knew it was the latter.

However, Mrs. Phelps’s calmness almost caught her off guard. If she were naive, she would have immediately believed the woman. After all, Mrs. Phelps had been working under the company for years. It would be reasonable if someone just wanted to malign her.

Without saying another word, Sofia placed the folder on the table. She smiled at the older woman. “Then please explain this

matter to me

Mrs. Phelps in her transactions.

opened the folder, and almost immediately her expression changed. The folder contained not just so images from the CCTV showing her log-in on her computer at the time the transaction was made.

“Actually, I thought the scheme was quite good...” Sofia said. “I almost did not realize that something was wrong until I started monitoring my company

Mrs. Phelps squinted at the folder, flipping through the evidence. “I don’t know how those got there, but this can’t be right. I would never betray the company. Someone’s trying to set me up.”

Sofia leaned forward, her eyes steady. “Mrs. Phelps, these aren’t just random accusations. We’ve got your transactions, your logins, and the CCTV footage. It’s pretty clear-cut. What’s your explanation?”

Mrs. Phelps stuttered for a moment, then composed herself. “L.I don’t know how those transactions got linked to me. Maybe someone’s using my credentials without me knowing. This is a setup, Sofia

“Someone using your credentials to send confidential info to our competitors? That sounds like a stretch. Why would anyone do that to you specifically?” Sofia raised an eyebrow.

“I don’t have an answer for that, but I’m innocent. You have to believe me, Sofia.”

“Mrs. Phelps, I trusted you. You were part of this company for over a decade. I even considered promoting you. Why would someone frame you?” Sofia sighed, her disappointment evident.

“L... I don’t know. But I didn’t do this. I swear.” Mrs. Phelps bit her lip, looking genuinely perplexed.

“I want the truth. Are you involved in this, or are you really just an unfortunate victim of a setup?” Sofia leaned back, studying Mrs. Phelps. She had more than enough proof to nail this woman, but she was giving her the chance to explain

herself.

This was because Mrs. Phelps was one of the first workers of LH Design that Eunice Lockhart loved so much. Eunice trusted the woman, and Sofia wanted to know why Mrs. Phelps was willing to break that trust.

“I don’t know how this happened, but I didn’t collude with anyone. I’ve given my best to LH Design, and I would never jeopardize that.”

Sofia sneered. “You know... my mother trusted you so much.” Sonja knew that it was Eunice herself who hired the first workers of LH Design. Her mother had been proud of that fact. Yet you betrayed her...” Sofia suddenly placed more evidence on the table..

This time, she knew it was over.

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“It I don’t have these. I wouldn’t have believed that you are working for them.” Solta snorted.

The photos on the table captured moments that left little room for doubt. The first one showed Mrs Phelps talking to a shady looking middleman in a dimly lit alley, exchanging what seemed to be a bundle of papers. Sofia pointed at it, her

voice firm.

Explain this, Mrs Phelps What’s happening in this picture?” Actually, Solia knew what was happening in these pictures. Mrs. Phelps found it hard to send emails using her company email or any other personal email.

So, she chose to print the documents. It would be cleaner that way.

Almost immediately, Mrs. Phelps stammered, her eyes flickering over the incriminating image. “L... I don’t remember this. It must be doctored or something”

Sofia shook her head, her patience waning. “These pictures are crystal clear, and they match the time of the transactions.

my intelligence. What about this one?” She slid another photo across the table.

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helps with a sly grin, handing over a USB drive to a person clad in the rival company's logo. Sofia's rs. Phelps as she awaited an explanation Again, she knew that Mrs. Phelps was using this method to

"I can't explain that. Maybe it's someone who looks like me," Mrs Phelps stammered, her defense faltering.

Someone who looks like you, making deals with our competition? Believable indeed." Sofia scoffed. She did not hide the sarcasm in her voice.

"My lawyer has been made aware of this, and they are-

"No." Mrs. Phelps suddenly interrupted her.

Theft of Trade Secrets, Corporate Espionage, Computer Fraud and Abuse Act (CFAA) Violation, Fraud and Deceit, Breach of Fiduciary Duty and many others." Sofia smiled. "Can you imagine what your children will say when they know where you got the money that you used to take them to Disneyland?"

"You-

"Wouldn't it be good if the cops show up while you are in the church with your family and friends and just... arrest you?"

Sofia smiled.

This time, Mrs. Phelps finally faltered. She paled, her eyes landing on the photos.

"Those are mere photos. Obviously, I also have a copy of the CCTV footage nearby showing you driving your car in and out of that area. I have more than enough proof to ruin your life."

"I" Mrs. Phelps's face now looked like a sheet of paper.

"Of course, I can opt not to file a case. I can consider the fact that you and my mother used to be so close.." Sofia said the smile on her face did not vanish.

"As long as you give me proof that Mr. Oh is working with



you

“I-”

Sofia suddenly got up. “I don’t have time Mrs. Phelps. Unlike my mother, I am not a very patient person. I just lost my and my fiancé and now, I am doubting if I can trust Lawrence.” She walked towards her table. “I am giving you a week.”

She then turned towards Mrs. Phelps. “It is either that or you are going down alone.”

“How did you know Mr. Oh is working with me?” Mrs. Phelps said.

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“I don’t think I owe you an explanation Soha said. “Do

“No.” Mrs. Phelps cleared her throat. So if I testify”

Too basic” Soha interrupted her. “I need evidence. Real evidence.”

Mrs. Phelps pursed her lips. “I understand. I will give it to you but what about me?”

“You are going to resign after a week. You will not be given any compensation, but the company will not file a lawsuit against you. I am certain you were able to save a huge amount of money from your lucrative business, so I don’t think you still need the company. You and your family shall leave Illinois and start a new life somewhere and... we can simply forget everything” Sofia smiled.

“You are going to let me go!” Mrs. Phelps said.

Sofia simply shrugged

“Without ant

Again, Sofia shrged with the same smile on her face.

"I understand Mrs. Phelps had a complicated look on her face. Then I am leaving now."

Sofia nodded and stared at the older woman's now hunched-back

Once alone, Sofia patted her chest, her strong exterior crumbling

It was really hard to pretend to be strong in front of the people that she once trusted the most. Sadly, this was a necessary move. She needed to grow, she needed to

learn.

Sofia found her chair, and as if on cue, Miss Amores walked in with a bottle of water in her hand. Sofia smiled and thanked her secretary. "Uh. Miss Amores hesitated for a few seconds.

"What is it?"

"There is some food delivery guy outside saying that... it was from a certain Mr. Beaumont. I know that your fiancé—"

"Let it in Sofia smiled. Sofia knew that it was not sent by Daniel but by the other Mr. Beaumont.

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And you think the count will believe that Soda hissed. She does not see ang mawon to art cordially with this man anymore. And put as the expert, Lawrence's fare turned ugly when she said those words. However, this was only momentarily as he quickly compred his facial expression before smiling at her

"It seems that your grandmother taught you well. Lawrence shook his head. To be honest. I am quite disappointed. All I wanted was for me to see your mother, my wife

Soha pursed her lips as her headache intensified. She wanted to get this over with! "The only reason why grandmother has yet to kick you out of the company is because of my mother. Do not try to ruin that. I don't want to see my mother's face when she realizes that her husband was no longer in the company that she loved the most when she woke up." Sofia said.

Sola knew that this was a be The reason why Eulanda did not kick this jerk was because she suspected that he was working with the real people who were responsible for her husband's death.

“My mother will remain in that place until the doctors will tell me what was wrong with her, Sofia said. I already asked them to study the diagnosis and examinations that Dr. Mulach did. I will do everything to make that man rot in hell.”

Sadly, that might not going to happen anytime soon

However, she was very hopeful that Hugo would help her mother out.

Lawrence shook his head. “Thope you tell your grandmother the she already succeeded in breaking up my family. She won” With that, Lawrence got up and walked out of her office without saying another word.

Once he left, Solia immediately leaned back on her chair, her eyes closed.

Lawrence had been working with LH GROUP for so long that he already had the trust and perhaps loyalty of a few members of the company. Meanwhile, her grandmother is not actually focusing on the company right now. Instead, she wanted to know who killed her husband.

Solia felt helpless.

Now that she had already shown her fangs to Lawrence, she had prove that she was not all bark. She needed to show him that she could bite too!