Chapter 24 Have You Fallen for Him?

His intimidating aura made Cathy feel dizzy.

At this moment, with his face this close to her face, his face seemed unbearably handsome.

He grabbed her chin and smirked. "I liked being low-key, but I allow you to live in glory."

Those words sounded incredibly alluring in his low and magnetic tone.

Cathy felt a tingling sensation all over her body.

Her mind went blank, and she forgot what she wanted to say.

His rough finger brushed her lips gently. "You can tell me if anyone dares to slander me. I will make him wish for death."

With that, he looked at her flushed face smugly and turned around to leave.

Like a fool, Cathy lay on the bed. She could not stop thinking about how he pressed down on her body and his ambiguous expression.

She finally recovered her senses after a long while.

Her phone was still on a video call with Quinn.

Adrian had muted it just now, so she only discovered it now.

Cathy unmuted it with flushed cheeks.

Quinn began to scream on the other end!

"Damn it, Cathy! Was that Master Adrian?"

"He is such a handsome man. Why did the rumors say that he is ugly?"

"My heart nearly jumped out of my chest just now! Seeing how he was with you just now, I wish I could observe your married life!"

"Both of you are a good match! He is much more handsome than Xavier. You're so lucky!"

Strangely, Quinn's endless praise made Cathy feel much better.

Suddenly, Quinn brought a hand to her forehead. "Cathy, I suddenly remembered something."

"You didn't push him away just now."

Cathy was stunned for a moment.

She had trauma from what happened five years ago.

Therefore, she couldn't have intimate relations with Xavier for the past five years.

Somehow, she was never repulsed by Adrian's touch from the beginning.

"Does this mean that Master Adrian has healed your trauma?"

Quinn looked at her in disbelief. "Or perhaps, have you fallen for him?"

Cathy quickly shook her head. "That's impossible."

"How is that impossible?"

"Master Adrian is such a handsome man. I wish I could marry him the moment I see him. Are you sure that you did not fall in love with him at first sight?"

Cathy was stunned for a moment.

Love at first sight?

Is... Is that true?

The following morning, Adrian was still sleeping when Cathy woke up.

She rested her cheek on one hand and stared at this good-looking man.

She could not deny that he was handsome.

Suddenly, she recalled what Quinn said.

Did... Did I fall in love with him at first sight?

"How long are you going to keep looking?"

A low masculine voice sounded near her ears.

Cathy came to her senses and realized that Adrian was awake.

"Mrs. Bolton, why are you staring at me? Do you find me delectable?"

Cathy blushed instantly. She jumped off the bed and rushed downstairs.

Adrian smiled as he watched her running away in panic.

Cathy went to the studio after breakfast.

The moment she walked in, a man in a tailored suit came to her and said, "Good morning, I'm Taylor Allen. I'm Penelope Crawford's manager."

Taylor smiled and extended his hand. "I heard you're the best stunt double in the studio. That is why Penelope asked me to talk to you to ask if you're willing to be her stunt double."

Cathy pinched herself in disbelief. "Are you sure? Penelope wants me to be her stunt double?"

Why does it feel like a dream?

Penelope is my favorite actress!

However, Penelope is one of the top actresses in the industry. An unknown stunt double like me can never hope to get close to her.

Now, this man said that she is looking for me?

"Yes, of course."

Taylor smiled and led her into the studio. "You're the only martial arts stunt double in the studio. Penelope has seen your work before. She likes them."

Then, he opened the door to a dressing room. "Please come in."

Cathy followed him in dazedly.

It is not a dream.

She stood near the door awkwardly and did not know what to do.

Penelope was dressed in a period costume, touching up her makeup.

When she saw Cathy, she gently indicated to Cathy to have a seat. "Has Taylor explained it to you?"

"From now on, you don't have to put yourself out there anymore. I would like you to be my personal stunt double and will pay you three times your current salary."

The good fortune came so suddenly that Cathy felt dizzy. "Miss Crawford, we've never had any interactions before this. What made you decide to look for me?"

Penelope smiled and answered, "It's because of a friend. He thinks that you're brilliant."

Tyrell called me and asked for my help early in the morning. What else could I do?

"Do I know this friend that you mentioned?"

Cathy frowned and could not recall ever having such a powerful friend.

Penelope smiled. "You will know him in the future."

Suddenly, someone opened the door and said, "Miss Crawford, the director is asking for you."

"Sure."

Penelope stood up with a smile. "Cathy, are you interested in watching me act?"

Cathy immediately nodded and followed her.

It was only when she arrived at the film set that Cathy realized that Xavier was the lead actor of this film.

Furthermore, Willow was on the film set too.

She had come to visit him.

At this moment, Xavier and Willow were sitting at a small table on the set and drinking soup.

Xavier was surprised to see Cathy behind Penelope.

"Xavier, what are you looking at?"

Willow followed his gaze.

Her expression turned from stunned to mockery.

She raised her voice and sneered. "No wonder you broke away from us. Turns out you found a way to elevate yourself."

Cathy knew that they were talking about her.

She pretended not to hear them and assisted Taylor in helping Penelope.

Once the filming started, Cathy sat on a chair far away and watched quietly.

"Cathy, I thought you were as cool as you said."

As Cathy was focusing on Penelope's performance, Willow's mocking tone sounded behind her. "You deliberately approached Penelope to become her stunt double because you knew Xavier is the lead actor of 'White as Snow', isn't it?"

Willow placed her arms on her waist and walked to her arrogantly. She looked at Cathy mockingly and said, "How annoying."

"But you should know that Xavier doesn't have any feelings for you."

Cathy smiled and said, "I'm thankful that he doesn't have feelings for me."

"Otherwise, I'd puke."

Then, she turned to Willow calmly and said, "I've known you for eight years, and I've always thought that you have expensive taste."

"Who knew that you are willing to pick up another woman's trash?"

Willow glared at Cathy. "Are you saying that Xavier is trash?"

"No."

Cathy yawned and continued, "You misunderstood."

"I meant you and Xavier are both trash."

With that, Cathy crossed her arms and turned around to leave.

"Cathy! Who do you think you are?"

Willow glared at Cathy's back profile and said fiercely. "You will never get a chance to hold Xavier's hands, but I have!"

At this moment, Penelope has finished acting her scene.

Taylor frowned as he came over and handed a script to Cathy. "The director wanted to speed up the filming process, so he asked Penelope to go to another set for filming. You should change your clothes and get your makeup done. Later, you will be acting with Xavier."

"You're required to stand on the spot while Xavier approaches you slowly. He will hold your hand in the end."

Cathy found it funny.

She glanced at Willow and said, "Did you just say that I will never hold Xavier's hand again?"