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Chapter 111 Because	Am the Boss
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Kaze was indeed surprised.

He had only ordered a few dishes and they cost almost a million. Besides, caviar was not his favorite and he found home-cooked food tasted better.

Since Miru wanted to have lunch here and he was buying, he simply ordered a few dishes to fill his stomach.

Now looking at the food he ordered and the bill, it was not worth it at all.

"What's wrong? Afraid? You ordered quite lavishly just now."

Miru was delighted to see the shock on Kaze's face.

She thought she could hit two birds with one stone-settle the bill while getting rid of Kaze-with around twenty thousand, but the idiot ordered too much and she ended up forking out an extra eighty thousand.

However, for the sake of her best friend's future, the million would be well spent.

"Kaze, now you know how much ordering at a high-end restaurant costs? This is the highest quality of life. Do you think you can provide Darcy with this kind of life?"

Miru seized the chance to sneer at Kaze. Kaze shook his head and said, "Miru, | didn't know that as Darcy's best friend, you think so little of her. You don't even know her.

"Is Darcy after your so-called high life? She's trying to achieve greater things in her career to prove her capabilities to her family. As for

as they can fill her stomach."
Miru was rendered speechless.
She knew what kind of person Darcy was and Kaze was right.
Darcy did not care about what she ate or wore as long as they could fill her stomach and keep her warm
She wanted to help her company, Quintessential Group, regain its former glory and prove her father's innocence. It had always been her goal.
Embarrassed and angered, Miru argued, "So this is the excuse you're using to not do anything? Are you planning to let your wife eat at food trucks for life?"
"lam just making an analogy. love Darcy. will never let her suffer with me. If wanted to, could make her the most successful woman in the business in the next second, but she wouldn't want it. What she wants is her hard work to pay off so she can reap the harvest herself."
Miru stared at him blankly.
She was surprised by how shameless Kaze was for how shameless he could get to say something like that. He could make Darcy the most successful woman in the business next second-who did he think he was? "Kaze, you better pay for this meal before dreaming about making Darcy the most successful woman."
Miru scoffed coldly. She believed Kaze must learn his lesson before he realized how ridiculous he sounded. "Why should pay for the meal? could just leave."
Kaze finished the last piece of meat and got up. He then headed to the exit.
"Dine and dash? The hotel will break your legs!"



They ordered a million dollars worth of food and the hotel did not ask them to pay?
She could not think of any valid reason the hotel would be this
generous and she was not that naive to think that it was because of her status.
Kaze said, "It's because I'm the owner of Lily Garden Hotel."
Chapter 112 Is It Really Your Hotel?
"You're really the owner of Lily Garden Hotel?" Miru said as she widened her eyes in disbelief.
How could an idiot be the owner of a famed hotel?
She dared not believe it, but if she stayed in denial, then she could not find any other reason to explain the current situation. One million was not that much to her but as far as she knew, Kaze could never afford such a huge bill.
Yet the hotel did not charge them for the meal.
Kaze said, "Miru, are you still going to instigate Darcy to divorce me?"
Miru was instantly embarrassed.
She called Kaze useless because he had nothing and kept looking down on him, trying to make Darcy divorce him.

Now, knowing that Kaze owned a big hotel, she instantly felt ashamed for what she had done in the past.
As she walked down the stairs dully, several customers who dined in the restaurant earlier came out with smiles and praises.
"Lily Garden Hotel is truly a wonderful place. We were asked to leave by the celebrities' security guards and it wasn't even the hotel's fault, yet the manager came to apologize to us and took care of the bills."
"Yeah. We ordered a lot but they didn't charge us a penny. How generous. We should come here more often.
Miru overheard the customers' conversation as they were walking
away.
She turned to Kaze with a fierce glare. "Kaze, how do you explain that all the diners ate for free? We were not the only ones!" "What explanation? told Richard to take care of all the customers' bills," he said.
"You are really shameless and stubborn!" Miru grunted.
She did not believe him at all.
After the celebrities, the lockdown, and the Garo Spec Ops Team, it was not unusual for the hotel to let the customers dine for free as a token of apology.
A million might be a lot but it was nothing to a big hotel like Lily Garden.

Kaze was shameless enough to take the credit and claimed to be the hotel owner. 1
Miru now believed that not only was Kaze useless, but his personality was terrible, making him trash!
"Unreasonable!"
Kaze was speechless. He told Manager Keegan to take care of the bills for the customers yet Miru deemed it as a bluff. Annoyed, he walked away instead of getting into Miru's car. He could grab a ride home since it was not that far away However, Miru drove her car over to him. She did not invite him into the car but simply followed him.
"Kaze, there's actually another thing that wanted to talk to you about. heard Darcy's grandfather is sending her to attend the rebuilding ceremony of the new Construction and Material Society. Roger Hilfinger will give her a hard time tomorrow.
" thought of attending as moral support but my godfather gave clear instructions that no one from Lefteria Group can attend. My hands are tied.
"If you are still a man, go attend the ceremony on your wife's behalf and take the blame. That's the only thing a useless guy like you can do."
Miru then drove off without letting Kaze speak.
Kaze frowned.
Her tone irritated him but he was considering her suggestion. He knew Darcy dared not face Roger after what happened to Henry. Maybe he should attend the ceremony on Darcy's behalf after all.
He returned to Horizon Mirror. Before he went inside, he heard laughter coming from the living room. Agnes must have calmed down.



"Boss, the two celebrities had posted their apologies online and they're trending now. Lily Garden is famous nationwide! Our room and halls are booked for the next three months! We're raking in big profits this time!"
Manager Keegan was thrilled because he was able to complete his
annual KPI ahead of time.
It was Kaze's quick thinking that got the two celebrities to post the
Now everyone knew that Lily Garden Hotel had a strong backer that even top celebrities must bow to. No one would dare cause a problem at Lily Garden Hotel anymore.
Kaze was unfazed. The business that the hotel got from the free advertisement was nothing to him. "Then prepare a big year-end bonus for the employees," he said.
" thank you on behalf of all the employees!"
Manager Keegan was over the moon.
When he announced the good news, all the hotel employees were thrilled and they adored their new boss even more. Their previous boss and current boss were worlds apart.
After the call, Kaze went inside.
Agnes grunted and scoffed as soon as she saw him. She sneered, "You're back?"
"Mother, this is my house too. Darcy is here, you and Father are here too. Of course, came back." He smiled and then said to Darcy, "Darcy, I'll attend the rebuilding ceremony on your behalf tomorrow." "Huh? Why?"

Darcy looked at him, confused.
He said, "Your grandfather sent you there but know you don't want
to attend, so as your husband, let me share your burden.".
"Kaze, thank you." Darcy was moved.
Ever since she came back from Master Quint's place, she had been worrying about attending the event.
To be honest, she dared not go alone.
It had only been days since Henry was castrated.
Even though she had nothing to do with it, Roger would surely blame her. After some careful thought, she shook her head.
"Kaze, I'm attending the ceremony tomorrow. It all started because of me. How can let you face Roger's anger alone? If not for you that day, Henry might already have ravaged me."
4 The incident traumatized her, causing her to have nightmares about Henry for days. Kaze was moved as well when he knew that Darcy wanted to attend because of him.
He held her hands and said, "Don't worry, Darcy. Roger won't give me a hard time. Just wait for my good news tomorrow. Maybe after tomorrow, the Hilfinger family will be no more."
He said before that he would make Roger hand over his company after tomorrow.

Without his company, Roger and his family would certainly decline!

Chapter 114 Universal Tower

"No, | have to go!"

Darcy did not want Kaze to take her place. She even ignored what he said about the Hilfinger family. The Hilfingers were huge and it was impossible they would disappear overnight.

She knew that once the new Construction and Material Society was formed, the Hilfinger family would only be stronger and more influential.

Roger would surely use the ceremony to give her a hard time. "Darcy, why are you arguing with him? If Kaze wants to take your place, let him go."

Agnes nudged her daughter and continued, "He's a man. he's capable enough, you should let him do this for you. What's wrong with him taking your place? He's freeloading us, and if he can't even help you with this, why should we keep him?"

She knew her daughter was having a difficult time since she return from Master Quint's residence, as well as if Darcy attended the ceremony, things would only get worse.

Therefore, Agnes wanted Kaze to suffer in Darcy's place.

"It's decided then. Kaze, you attend the ceremony alone tomorrow. If Roger gives you a hard time, just suck it up. Don't try to talk back or argue with him and put us in trouble. I'll break you if you do!"

She did not care if Darcy disagreed and made the decision for her daughter. "Alright." Kaze nodded. Darcy was displeased by her mother's action but since Kaze insisted. as well, she was forced to accept it too.

She gave Miru a call. "Miru, are you attending the rebuilding ceremony tomorrow? If you are, please help me to keep an eye on Kaze. I'm afraid Roger might give him a hard time."
Her only hope was Miru since her best friend took care of Dan Niners for her. Miru must have a way to deal with Roger as well. "What? That useless guy is taking your place?" Miru was surprised.
She wanted Kaze to take Darcy's place in the ceremony too, otherwise, she would not have suggested it to him before she left. earlier.
She just did not expect Kaze to do it.
Displeased, Darcy said, "What useless guy? Don't call him that. When he came home, he told me he wanted to take my place. He is much more responsible than many men out there."
"Fine. have to give it to him this time." Miru did not argue with he
friend either.
She thought of telling Darcy about Kaze tricking her at the hotel but she decided to spare Kaze for now. "But Darcy, you better pray for Kaze tomorrow. can't go. My company didn't even accept the invitation," Miru said helplessly. "Ah Alright."
Darcy hung up the phone but she remained worried.
She reminded Kaze, "Kaze, if someone gives you a hard time tomorrow, just bear with it. Roger gerisar
man and I
"Alright."

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Kaze sighed. His wife did not believe him and thought he would suffer
at the ceremony tomorrow.
The next morning, Darcy went to work at the construction office.
Before she left, she reminded Kaze again to be patient and bear with whatever happened later.
Kaze brushed her off. He took the invitation and left the house.
The ceremony was being held at Universal Tower, a skyscraper located in the city center.
Since Darcy took the car, Kaze had to call a ride.
It was his first time at Universal Tower, but when he arrived at the entrance, he saw the Sky Cloud Tower was at the opposite. Sky Cloud Tower housed the headquarters of Perfect World Group and Ray's Sky Cloud Group.
The new Construction and Material Society chose to host the
ceremony directly opposite the headquarters of Perfect World Group. It was obviously an act of provocation.
Chapter 115 Old Friends

"The new Construction and Material Society is challenging Perfect World Group. Ray Forrester is the general manager of the company, yet Roger Hilfinger decided to challenge him openly. He might be the first in Lilyrose who openly challenged the richest maan in the city.

"Don't mention Ray Forrester. The Construction and Material Society has been stealing people from the Perfect World Group for days now, yet he didn't even react. | heard Roger Hilfinger is backed by the Lee family from the capital. No wonder the richest man in Lilyrose is afraid."

"Yeah. The Perfect World Group dissolved the Construction and Material Society but now it seems like they are going down for good."

The people who attended the ceremony were talking about the competition between the two companies.

Kaze overheard them and simply chuckled.

Perfect World Group going down?

It was still too soon to jump to conclusions.

He did not say anything and walked into the building with the invitation.

Roger spent a fortune to make the ceremony look grand. The whole building was decorated with beautiful banners, and many top celebrities and influential figures were on the guest list.

Kaze even saw Andrew Shawn and Liv Ackerman's banners around. Inviting those two alone would already cost a fortune. The entire exhibition hall was used for the ceremony and it looked even grander than outside. Expensive cars drove into the parking lot one after another. Cars in the millions could not even stand out here.

Other than the major families of Lilyrose, entrepreneurs and family representatives from different cities and the capital attended as well.

The hotel rates of Lilyrose rose sharply yesterday and it was to welcome all the foreign guests.

Roger was the chairman of Hilfinger Corporation and the ex-chairman of the abolished Construction and Material Society, so he was well- connected throughout the country.

However, Kaze learned from the chatters that the Lee family did not send a representative over this time, which disappointed him a little.

He was going to destroy the new Construction and Material Society on its first day yet no one from the Lee family was present to witness. it was a shame.

Kaze entered the hall with the invitation.

He knew no one at the scene and had no interest in mingling with the representatives of the first-tier families. He went to a corner and sat down quietly.

"Kaze Lee, you came?!"

An irritatingly sharp woman's voice resounded.

Kaze looked up and saw Kelly.

Kelly was wearing professional attire with heavy makeup. She looked energetic and lively.

As the chief secretary of the new Construction and Material Society, not only she had to be responsible for the preparation but also the

reception. 23

First-tier families' representatives had to be polite to her and enthusiastically engaged in a conversation with her when they entered the venue.

This would certainly be the highlight of Kelly's career.
If the chief secretary of the new Construction and Material Society earned her this much respect, she would definitely climb higher on the social ladder when she gave birth to Henry's child and became the missus of the Hilfinger family.
When that day came, her status would skyrocket and she could do whatever she wanted in the city.
Following Kelly's arrival, several young men looked in her direction. They were surprised for a moment before they came over with bright smiles.
"Look who's here? Isn't this the young master of the Lee family? Oh, where's your old friend, James White? Oh wait, he's been dead for two years already!"
The leader of the little group sneered and the others echoed with laughter. Haiden Ludgram.
Wayne Gerome.
Zack Centauri.
Kurt Ashford.
These men were the ones who accused James of plagiarism during
their days at the university.
Chapter 116 Humiliation

The four of them knew Kaze from university.
Haiden's sneers instantly attracted attention from the crowd. Everyone then looked at Kaze.
"The young master of the Lee family?"
"Mr. Ludgram, you know the young master of the Lee family?"
Everyone looked at Haiden and company with jealousy.
The quartet was recruited into the new Construction and Material Society by Roger and was placed under Kelly's supervision.
Their jobs were to liaise with the bosses of the underworld and keep an eye on them for Roger. They were living quite the life with their
new status. Kelly, Haiden, and the others laughed at the comments.
Haiden scoffed and said, "Young Master Lee here has been excommunicated by the Lee family a long time ago. Now, he's just a piece of garbage who makes a living with scams and tricks. The Perfect World Group is going down soon, so he will be out of tricks
soon."
Wayne introduced him to the crowd. "He's Kaze Lee, our old friend from university. A retard who has just recovered recently." The guests thought they were meeting Young Master Lee from the Lee family but it turned out to be a scammer
They all looked at Kaze with disdain and instantly lost interest in talking to him.



Seeing Kaze being humiliated by the crowd, Haiden and the others were delighted.

They used to flatter Kaze during their days at the university because he was the young master of the Lee family, but Kaze turned them

Now, they got the chance to take revenge for suffering the embarrassment then.

Kaze remained unfazed. He smiled and said, "Congratulations. After the dirty things you did back then, you've finally reaped what you

sown. You guys are living the life under the Hilfinger family but too bad this is the last day." They did not expect Kaze to talk back after all the humiliation, but none of them took his words seriously.

Haiden grunted and mocked him, "Kaze, you better stop dreaming. After today's rebuilding ceremony, the Hilfinger will become the top family in Lilyrose and those of us with the society will only rise higher in ranks!"

Chapter 117 Jessica Summer

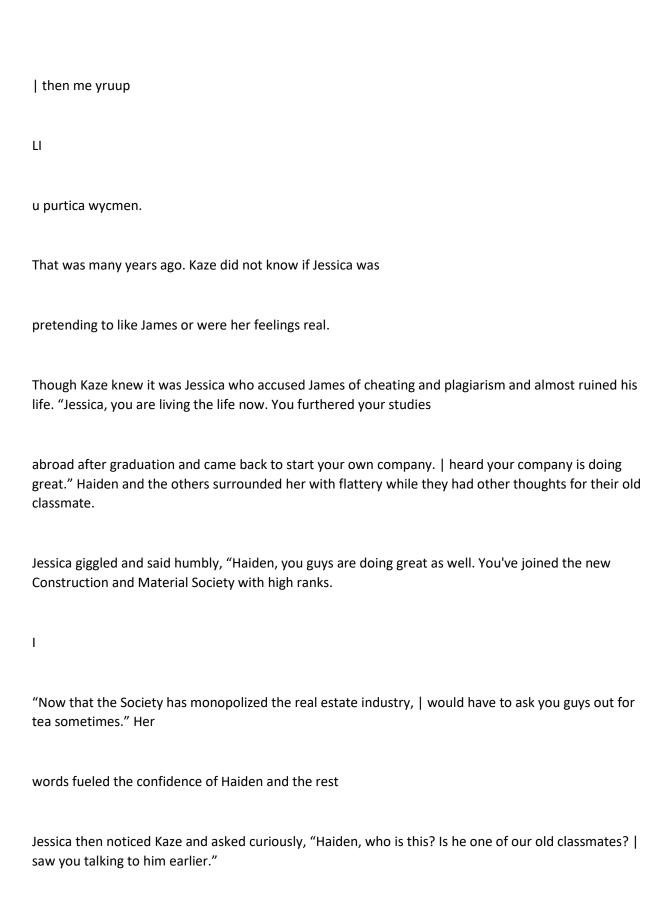
"Yeah. You useless piece of garbage. You are not even in our league!"

"| think he's just jealous of us!"

Haiden and the others were arrogant as they continued to mock Kaze.

Accusing James had changed their fates, and they believed they made the right choice back then.

Kaze looked at the bunch of fools who had no idea what was coming.
He scoffed inwardly. He did not want to waste time with them.
"Haiden, Wayne, there you guys are!"
Then, a woman's voice came from further away.
A beautiful woman in professional attire strutted over and turned
heads while at it.
"Jessica! You're here!"
Haiden and the others welcomed the woman with bright smiles.
Jessica? Jessica Summer?
Kaze's eyes narrowed coldly when he heard the name.
He clearly remembered Jessica as the best student in class, second only to his buddy James.
Jessica always went to James for help with her studies and as time went by, they developed feelings for each other. Jessica clearly showed feelings for James too.
Whenever her classmates teased her with James, she would blush.
There was also a certain period when Kaze became the third wheeler



Kaze looked familiar but she could not recognize him.
"Jessica, he's our old classmate. Have a closer look. I'm sure you can recognize him. He's the most popular guy back at our university," Haiden teased.
The others laughed.
Jessica had a closer look at Kaze and finally remembered. "It's you!
Kaze Lee!"
"Yeah, it's me."
Kaze nodded. He continued with a stronger tone, "James' good buddy, Kaze Lee."
Jessica's face turned pale when he heard James' name, and so were Haiden and the others. Kaze stared at Jessica and said coldly, "Jessica, why did you accuse James of cheating and plagiarism?" "Kaze, who do you think you are? How dare you question me?"
The elegant smile on Jessica's face was instantly replaced by a fierce
and cold look when Kaze questioned her.
Kaze's question was like a knife that poked her deepest secret.
She got angry immediately.

The others grinned and gloated at Kaze.
Chapter 118 Humanity
Wayne looked at Kaze with contempt. "Kaze, how about you know your place? A son-in-law of a second-tier family speaks such bold words to Jessica?"
Zack added, "Jessica came back from studying abroad and is now
the CEO of a big company. You two are not from the same world. What gives you the right to question her?" Jessica was like a goddess to them and they would kill for the goddess' kiss.
It was audacious for Kaze to offend Jessica and it gave them the chance to win the goddess' heart. "Jessica, too afraid to admit what you've done? What are you scared of?"
Kaze ignored her army of simps and stared at her coldly.
He wanted to know why Jessica turned on James and who instigated her to do it.
Jessica stared at him and grunted coldly. "Kaze, if you want to k that bad, I'll tell you. James is dead anyway, what can he possibly about it? Come back as a ghost and haunt me?"
Kaze smiled and did not argue with her. He waited for her answer.
Jessica said, "I reported him because was jealous of him. He was always better than me academically. He was a genius alright, and no matter how hard studied, always lost to him. He was always better than me, and it was depressing."
Kelly, Haiden, and the others were surprised at Jessica's confession.

Even though they knew it was Jessica who reported James back then, they did not expect her to be so frank with the revelation. Kaze said coldly, "Because of jealousy, you reported him and ruined his life?"
He had always known about the dark side of humanity.
When jealousy took over one's sanity, people could do the most. outrageous things.
James helped her a lot in her studies.
"It wasn't just jealousy alone. He got in my way and almost ruined my future."
Jessica's expression turned bitter as she explained, "At that time, a mentor had one letter of recommendation to offer to a student to study at a prestigious university abroad, and the mentor wanted to give the slot to James because he was talented. That slot was practically made for him.
"Back then, my biggest dream was to study abroad and wanted that opportunity. Too bad was not as good as him, so reported him got him expelled."
Jessica started to laugh hysterically as she told the story.
After James was expelled, she got the recommendation.
Almost everyone was jealous of her back then and it was considered one of the highlights of her life.

Kaze angrily questioned her, "How could you be so sure that you would get the recommendation with James expelled?" Jessica came from a common background. Even if James dropped out, the slot would

never be given to her either.

" have to thank you for that, Kaze. Someone told me that you were close with James, so as long as reported him and got him expelled, would get the slot"
The ember of rage was glowing in Kaze's eyes.
James got into a car crash because of him.
James was accused of cheating and plagiarism, and got expelled from the university because of him as well.
The two biggest turning points of his late friend's life were both related to him.
Through Jessica's revelation, he already knew who the mastermind. was that got James expelled.
He said expressionlessly, "The Lee family from the capital told you to report James?"
"Yes. Narian Lee told me to do it. He was the most popular guy on campus then and there were a lot of girls around him."
Chapter 119 Severe Consequences
Jessica looked at Kaze with disdain. "As for you, you were the one they excommunicated. Definitely not in the same league as Young Master Narian."

"Kaze, you were James' best buddy. He took good care of you back then, and now that you found out about the truth, shouldn't you seek justice for him? You really should not forget about him," Haiden sneered at Kaze with a grin.
Wayne scoffed, "Seek justice? From who? Jessica? Or the Lee family? He can't offend either of them!" " think he'd have a better chance next life!" Zack's words made everyone burst into laughter.
Jessica shook her head and scoffed. Kaze had it coming because he started it by questioning her reasoning for reporting on James.
What could he possibly do now that he knew the truth?
Other than sulking and being angry, he could not do anything t avenge his friend. That was why Jessica told him the truth because she did not take
him seriously.
She saw Kaze's frosty expression smeared with grievance and they
fueled her contempt for him.
"Kuzze, tet me give you a piece of advice. hope you can keep this to yourself find out that you leak this and tarnish my reputation, you willlitate severe consequences."
Jessicancrossed her arms and peered down at Kaze condescendingly. +25 BC
Her tone was not exactly strong but indubitable.
She was threatening Kaze not to leak the truth.
Kaze scoffed.

Jessica was indeed a bitch.
She had no right to tell him what not to do.
Kaze said coldly, "Jessica, I'll give you a piece of advice as well. Yo should visit James' grave, kneel down, and confess what you did. O else you would be the one to face severe consequences."
Jessica's expression turned grim.
The others widened their eyes in disbelief and awe.
They thought they heard Kaze wrongly.
Did he just threaten Jessica and want her to confess before James' grave?
Who did he think he was?
"Jessica, calm down. If James is still alive, he might make yo apologize, but now? No way in hell." Haiden and company quickly consoled the angry Jessica.
Kaze then pointed at Haiden. "Not just Jessica, all of you should kneel before James' grave and apologize!" He pointed at Haiden, Wayne, Zack, and Kurt.
All of them took advantage of James back then and made the situation worse.
Kaze would never forget about them.
The four of them were irritated.

You have no idea how much Henry's father hates you right now. After the ceremony, he will go after you and your wife." She knew Roger would never spare Kaze and Darcy after what they did to Henry.

Yet Kaze showed up at the ceremony-a suicidal move!

Speaking of Darcy, Kelly did not see her anywhere.

"Kaze, where's your wife? Too scared to show up because the Hilfinger family is going after her? Running away won't do. She can run now, but not for life. The Hilfinger family will never let your wife go!" Kelly continued to mock him.

The Quint family received the invitation but they sent Kaze here to take all the blame. How terrified were they? Kaze reacted with disdain. "The Hilfingers won't go after my wife because they will cease to

Chapter 120 Kneel and Call Me Daddy! Everyone looked at Kaze blankly.

exist after today!" The room was in pin-drop silence.

They were not stunned by his threats because they never took him seriously, and neither did they believe he was capable of destroying the Hilfinger family.

They were surprised because Kaze was still able to speak so boldly in front of them.

Today was the rebuilding ceremony of the new Construction and Material Society-the day the Hilfinger family would rise to prominence and become one of the top families in Lilyrose.

Yet Kaze was bold enough to speak such provocative words at the ceremony, challenging not only the Society but also the Hilfinger family.
He must have a death wish. Kelly and Jessica along with Haiden and the others laughed at Kaze for being overconfident and ridiculous. Kelly teared up from all the laughing. "Hahaha, Kaze Lee! Ha lost your mind? If you are sick, go see a doctor!"
"Is it because you are too poor? If you need money, can lend you some. don't want to listen to nonsense anymore! don't want to Haugh my ass off! Hahaha"
Everyone burst into laughter. Kaze was nothing but a jester to them.
"If you cam cease the Hilfinger family's existence after today, will kneel and call you Daddy!" Haiden said as he wiped the tears away.
"Yeah, we'll all kneel and call you Daddy!" the other three echoed.
Kaze shook his head in silence. He did not want to talk to these fools.
"Very well. If you people don't kneel and call me Daddy Lee, I'll beat you up and make you spit the word out!" A ferocious voice came from the entrance.
Everyone was shocked. They quickly turned around to the owner of the voice.
Agroup of ferocious-looking men came over and the two in front looked extremely intimidating. "Gold Tooth!"

"Dan Niner!"

The guests immediately recognized them! They were the gangsters of the underworld.
"Master Lee!"
They went up to Kaze and bowed at him together.
Jessica, Haiden, and the others were shocked by the scene.
Two mob bosses bowed at Kaze with such respect?
Kelly maintained a disdainful demeanor. She remarked, "There's nothing to be afraid of. Those two are just intimidated by Kaze's bluffs. The Chairman mentioned that after today, both of them would
lose their status in the underworld!" Everyone then instantly thought of the rumor they heard a while ago.
Gold Tooth and Dan Niner tried to cause trouble at Kaze's place but one of them was taught a lesson by Chief Commander Lang and the other unlucky one was stopped by the Tiger Fangs during their routine
Tt
They got scared and dared not defy Kaze anymore.
The two of them became the biggest joke in the underworld. Dan heard Kelly. He glared at her fiercely and bellowed, "Tell Roger Hilfinger to come after me, dare him!" He was known for his ferocity and it was still his best deterrent.
Kelly was slightly frightened. She grunted to calm herself down and said, "Let's go. Just ignore them. They won't be able to stay loud for long.".

"Kaze, these two wimps can't protect you anymore! You are dead meat!" Haiden and the others sneered at him before they walked away with Kelly.

Kaze ignored them and looked at Gold Tooth and Dan. "What are you two doing here? Dan, shouldn't you be working at the site?"

Gold Tooth and Dan exchanged an awkward gaze and smiled bitterly.

"Master Lee, | was working at the site but then your wife came to me and told me you were here at the ceremony. She was afraid that Roger Hilfinger might give you a hard time, so she asked me to come support you.

"| know Master Lee doesn't even need us here but | dared not defy Ms. Quint's orders."