Guardian 281

Chapter 281 I'm Jesse White "Ms. Chapman, I'm sorry, but | can't do it." Ramsay sounded polite but the words infuriated Tiffany and turned. her expression grim.

"Ms. Chapman, South Bank has other units for sale. We have two more units that are more expensive and high-end than mansion No. 9. If you are interested, | can give you a personal discount."

Ramsay did not want to offend Tiffany, so he quickly came up with a suggestion and a discount.

However, it did not soothe Tiffany's anger.

Slap!

She raised her hand and slapped Ramsay on the face.

"Ms. Chapman, this..."

Ramsay covered his face in shock as he looked at Tiffany. He did not expect Tiffany to be this rude and arrogant.

He was the newly appointed director of South Bank after all, not just any John Doe, yet the woman slapped him in public without any solid.

reasons. "Ramsay Scotch, listen carefully! The top three families owned this city!"

Tiffany was loud. "You are just a lousy director! Who do you think you are? Your predecessors are our dogs, and that makes you too!"

She did not need a discount when buying things, even a house.

She was the daughter of the Chapmans, one of the three young elites.

+25 BONUS

How could she be so short-sighted?

She wanted respect, not a discount!

She said she wanted to buy the mansion for Martin yet Ramsay, a tiny bank director, denied her in front of him! How could he embarrass her in front of Martin?!

Tiffany pointed at the mansion and ordered Ramsay, "Go! Get them out! Right away!"

Ramsay covered his face and glared at Tiffany.

He was aggrieved but the woman was Tiffany Chapman, the eldest daughter of the Chapmans.

After a slight struggle with his thoughts, Ramsay swallowed his grievance, bit the bullet, and said, "Ms. Chapman, the new owner of mansion No. 9 is the chairman of Shangrila Group...

He recalled the signature on the contract and he believed Kaze wanted to use this identity to deal with related matters. Jesse White was the chairman of the newly reformed Shangrila Group, so he quickly changed his words. Tiffany said in disdain, "I don't care who he is, chairman or not..."

Asudden realization struck and she looked at Ramsay with widened

eyes

did you say? What chairman? Which company is he

ay explained, "The chairman of Shangrila Group."

is that Jesse White?"

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+25 BONUS

Tiffany saw a nod from Ramsay and it instantly turned her face pale.

She heard of Jesse White before.

The mysterious man snatched Bersina Group from the top three families and changed its name back to Shangrila Group.

People assumed that the man was trying to declare war against the top three families and avenge James White.

The top three families were having trouble dealing with the matter.

Now, the mysterious Jesse White bought mansion No. 9, which was James' old house that his family stayed in two years ago. His goal became clearer with the purchase.

Tiffany bit her lip and said to Martin, "Commissioner, why don't we have a look at other units? This chairman of Shangrila Group is an enemy of the top three families. There's no way he would sell the mansion to me."

She decided to step down and avoid possible conflict. "So, anyone can become a chairman nowadays? He's just a businessman. Who does he think he is?" Martin grunted in disdain.

He looked at Ramsay arrogantly and said, "Where is this Jesse -White? Tell him | want this mansion and he has ten minutes to empty

the house!" "Martin Renslayer, commissioner of Lilyrose Strategic Department Logistic Division, you got a lot of nerves!" It was then Kaze came out from the mansion.

He glared at Martin and said, "I am Jesse White, and I'd like to see how you are going to make me move."

Chapter 282 Expose!

"Jesse White is you? H-How is this possible?!" Tiffany looked at Kaze in shock and disbelief. She somehow believed Kaze was Jesse White.

The top three families used their connections and network to run background checks on this mysterious person but they got nothing.

It was like Jesse White appeared out of nowhere.

The top three families suspected that Jesse White was just an alias.

They continued searching James' network and still did not find someone named Jesse White. However, they found out about James' good friend during his university days.

That person was Kaze.

However, the top three families did not relate Kaze to Jesse. They looked down on him as being just a useless son-in-law of the Quints.

Even though the Lee family of Sunrise City wanted to eliminate him, they did not take him seriously.

Martin grunted and said, "Ms. Chapman, the top three families are

fraid of a mere businessman? This shouldn't be."

He might just be a commissioner, an average position in the Strategic Department, but he possessed quite the power.

Numerous big companies approached him, showering him with flattery, all in the hopes of securing projects from the Strategic Department. The flattery contributed to his growing arrogance.

+25 BONUS

Tiffany awkwardly said, "Commissioner Renslayer, the chairman of Bersina Group, Toffle Toan, was originally our family's middleman but Jesse White got him out from the National Guards and took the company away from him."

It was due to the operation that the top three families worried for days. "Ms. Chapman, the top three families are scared because of this?"

Martin scoffed. "| heard about that as well. It was all because someone was trying to illegally access the information of the top brass in the military. That's why the National Guards were alarmed and ordered the city council to arrest Toffle Toan.

"After a careful investigation, it was said to be a misunderstanding and all the arrested suspects were released."

He pointed at Kaze and said, "If you say this punk here got Toffle. Toan out from the National Guards, then you are spewing nonsense."

"Really?" Tiffany was surprised. The top three families tried to get Toffle out using their connections but they could not even get in touch with the man.

"Of course. The Everia, Golding, and Chapman families are rooted in Lilyrose City and this city only. The world is big, so don't limit yourself to what is before your eyes. Don't let this little punk get to you."

p three families were aware of Kaze's past cases of fraud and s, so after the little explanation, Tiffany chose to believe Martin.

ne was both embarrassed and furious. "Kaze Lee, you have a lot of nerve to impersonate Jesse White to take our things! Now that you are exposed, we will get you for sure!"

The mystery of Jesse White had been exposed.

The top three families would certainly go after Kaze. +25 BONUS Otherwise, if the news of Kaze toying with the top three families got out, they would be the laughingstock of the city.

"Kaze, I'll tell my parents about this and you will be dead meat! Your wife will suffer as well! No one can save you from our wrath!"

Tiffany looked at Kaze as if he was already in a coffin.

Kaze said, "Tiffany, if you can walk out of this mansion, then feel free to say whatever you want."

From the moment he decided to make Tiffany the maid of the mansion, he had no plans of letting her go.

Chapter 283 Who Gave You the Authority?

"K'Kaze, are you going to use Dan's generals to make me stay?"

TifTiffany grinned and scoffed. "Don't forget about Commissioner ReRenslayer." ShShe was not afraid of Kaze. Even if Kaze called Jackal and the team

bvover, Martin could have them arrested with just a word.

What generals?"

Mariantin was from the army so he was quite sensitive to the term.

Tiffany ty criefly explained who Jackal and the team were.

'Hument seseems like anyone can call themselves general nowadays. Only thosese who served the God of War have the right to call themselvely es nenerals. For example, Chief Commander Lang of Lilyrose Strategic Department is the God of War's right- hand man!"

Martin wavageti his hand contemptuously and said, "If those men show up, I can cat: thehedger Fangs Militia and Garo Spec Ops Team to shoot then: to caesth!"

Commissioner Rensislayer, you are just the commissioner of the Logistic Division, no yoyota have the authority to order them around?"

Tiffany was not all that at spimid.

Martin said proudly, "I mignononot have the authority but | am close with Shin Scarlet and Koga Allas.s, both brigadier generals of the Tiger Fangs Militia and Gare Spec Opps Team respectively. I'm sure they

would answer to my request.st.

Tiffany's eyes glimmered with interesest. She leaned closer to Martin, pressing her chest against his anom.

+25 BONUS

"Did you hear that? Get out of the mansion right now or else Commissioner Renslayer would have you arrested with just one call! They are military soldiers, not police officers, no one can get you out from there," Tiffany said arrogantly.

Martin's assurance fueled Tiffany's confidence. She believed she did not even need to pay for the mansion and could demand Kaze to

surrender it to her. He would lose the mansion and his money!

Then, Jessica came out from the mansion with Camry, Teresa, and Brenda. She overheard Tiffany when she stepped out of the door.

Their looks shifted instantly.

"Kaze, is a military officer interested in our house? If yes, then we should move out immediately!" Camry said as he looked at Martin in

fear.

After what happened two years ago, Camry and Teresa had been living cautiously with Brenda.

They dared not even mess with Scarface, who was just a thug on the streets, let alone a military officer like Martin. Brenda did not know what the adults were talking but she started crying loudly when she heard they had to move again. "Grandpa, why are we moving again? | want to stay here! | want to have goldfish!"

Teresa quickly carried Brenda in her arms and calmed her down." Brenda, if we don't move, we'll cause problems for your godfather. We can move back to our old place and Grandpa can buy you a bowl of goldfish..."

"Godfather is good to Brenda. | don't want to give him trouble."

+25 BONUS

Brenda was an understanding girl given her age but she could not stop her tears from dropping.

Kaze felt bad seeing the girl cry. He carried Brenda in his arms and said, "Brenda, don't worry. Your grandparents are not moving. We are staying here and no one can make us move."

"Bold words! Who do you think you are? You have ten minutes to evacuate!" Martin bellowed.

"Kaze, don't go against him!"

Camry got anxious and tried to dissuade Kaze.

"Kaze, this man is a military officer! He can call soldiers here with one phone call! He's not someone you can mess with just because you have some money!" Jessica said, worried that Kaze did not

understand the man clearly. "He can call soldiers here? Who gave him the authority to call the Tiger Fangs Militia and Garo Spec Ops Team?" Kaze did not believe that Lilyrose Strategic Department was this corrupted under Draco's command.

"If a mere commissioner of the Logistic Division can get even one soldier here with a call, then | will reshuffle the Strategic Department. From Draco Lang to the commissioner of the Logistic Division, everyone will be swapped out!"

+25 BONUS

Chapter 284 Explain It Yourself

"Hahaha!"

Martin and Tiffany cackled hysterically when they heard Kaze.

They laughed at him for being ignorant and a fool.

"Kaze, who do you think you are to reshuffle the Strategic Department? You are full of shit!" Tiffany mocked him. Even Ramsay, Jessica, Camry, and Teresa, who had the most trust in

Kaze, did not believe him this time.

Kaze did not say anything. He pulled his phone out and sent a voice recording to Draco.

"Huh? What did the boss send me?"

Meanwhile, at the chief commander's office of the Lilyrose Strategic Department, Draco suddenly received a voice recording from Kaze.

Baffled, he tapped on it.

"Commissioner Renslayer, you are just the commissioner of the Logistic Division, do you have the authority to order them around?"

"| might not have the authority but | am close with Shin Scarlet and Koga Atlas, both brigadier generals of the Tiger Fangs Militia and Game Spec Ops Team respectively. I'm sure they would answer to my

st."

co sweated nervously when he heard the voice recording.

He finally knew why Kaze sent him the voice recording and did not call or text him.

Kaze was pissed.

+25 BONUS

Draco immediately called his chief guard and said, "Find out who it is in the recording. Relieve him of his duty and all his associates in the Strategic Department. Those who break the rules will be punished, no matter what rank they are.

"Also, tell Shin and Koga, plus Fred, the head of the Logistic Division,

to explain the situation to the God of War in person! If they can't provide a reasonable explanation, they don't have to come back!"

He shouted the last sentence as he slammed the table.

With the orders given, the entire Strategic Department got busy. An investigation of the entire department was carried out swiftly. On the other hand, the head of the Logistic Division, Fred Wolfgang, Shin, and Koga strode out from their respective offices. The two brigadier generals and the general headed to Springville District as fast as possible.

They arrived at Springville District and saw each other, but they did not speak a word and continued dashing toward mansion No. 9.

"Commissioner Renslayer, ten minutes is up! Call the soldiers here to get rid of this guy!" Tiffany said delicately to Martin as she grew tired of waiting.

Martin's gaze was unnatural. He pointed at Kaze and shouted, "Did you hear the woman? Your time is up! Move out or | will call the soldiers here! Don't challenge my patience!"

Everyone other than Kaze was terrified.

"You are just a commissioner. Who gave you the authority to call the soldiers here?" Then, a frosty voice came from behind.

Martin was stunned. He turned around and saw his direct superior,

+25 BONUS

"S-Sir?! What are you doing here?!"

Martin panicked when he saw his superior's fierce gaze.

"Sir? Is he the head of the Logistic Division, General Fred Wolfgang!?" Tiffany was struck with realization when she heard Martin call the

man sir.

When she saw the other men who came with Fred, she was stunned beyond words. "Commander of the Tiger Fangs Militia, Shin Scarlet!"

"Commander of the Garo Spec Ops Team, Koga Atlas!"

"What are they doing here?!"

Shin and Koga were well-known figures in Lilyrose.

A few days ago, they were the ones who orchestrated the collapse of Hilfinger Corporation. No one in Lilyrose did not know them.

Tiffany, Jessica, Ramsay, and even Camry and Teresa were all

shocked by their appearance.

Why did the three of them come here all of a sudden?

It was the question that everyone shared.

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Chapter 285 God of War "If 'm not here, you would have gone out of control, Martin Renslayer! You will be charged at court martial!" Fred glared at Martin before he went up to Kaze.

He saluted professionally and said, "God of War, Sir! Head of the Logistic Division of Lilyrose Strategic Department, Fred Wolfgang, reporting for duty!"

Shin and Koga knew Kaze wanted to keep a low profile so they never called him the God of War, but Kaze did not reject it when Fred

saluted, so they did the same.

"God of War, Sir! Commander of the Tiger Fangs Militia, Shin Scarlet, reporting for duty!"

"God of War, Sir! Commander of the main Garo Spec Ops Team, Koga Atlas, reporting for duty!" After all three of them called Kaze the God of War, everything went

silent.

The God of War was a prestigious title bestowed upon by Arcadia. It was the highest honor within the army and it was sought after by all.

There were more than a hundred million people in the country but there might not be a God of War.

The title surpassed all the military ranks and it currently belonged to Kaze and Kaze only.

His status was unmatched across the continent!

Kaze Lee was the God of War!

The God of War was Kaze Lee!

+25 BONUS

It shocked everyone like a bolt of lightning.

Countless questions flooded the people's minds, robbing them of the ability to think properly.

Martin looked at Kaze with a pale face. He was petrified.

He claimed he could call the soldiers here and get rid of Kaze from the mansion!

Now that he learned the truth, he felt like a joke!

One word from the God of War and all the soldiers from the Strategic Department could drown him by spitting on him. Tiffany was shocked as well.

To her, only a madman with enough nerves would dare to impersonate the God of War.

Everything that happened before her eyes told her that Kaze was indeed the God of War!

Kaze wanted to avenge his fallen friend, James.

Now that she knew his identity, the top three families, Everia, Golding and Chapman families, were doomed!

No one could save them anymore!

Jessica looked at Kaze blankly.

Her old

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being the chairman of Perfect World Group was already gh and now it seemed like she still underestimated him. st God of War in the history of Arcadia!

in who possessed utmost power on this land and all soldiers. listen to his command.

+25 BONUS

Jessica was grateful that she made the right choice.

If she did not lower herself before Kaze, repent her sins and make up for the Whites, then she would end up horribly. Camry and Teresa were so excited that they cried.

They knew their son's name would be cleared soon and justice would

be served!

They knew it because their son was like a brother to the God of War! y are th

"Godfather, what is a God of War? Is it a game? calling you that?" Brenda looked at Kaze with a curious gaze.

The girl's innocence made the atmosphere lighter.

Kaze smiled. "Yeah, God of War is like a game. He's powerful like superheroes and can protect you from the villains. No one can make us move out of this house."

"Yeah! Godfather will always protect Brenda!"

Brenda curled her arms around Kaze's neck and cheered happily. Martin could no longer control his shaking legs when he heard Kaze. -He fell on his knees before Kaze.

d of War, Sir! | was foolish! | am stupid! | was wrong!"

+25 BONUS

Chapter 286 Life on the Frontline

Martin confessed to his mistake in tears, keeping his head low in

reverence.

He was so full of himself moments ago, and now he lay near Kaze's feet, begging for mercy with his tail tucked between his legs. Martin lost his spine.

He did not carry the dignity of someone in the military.

Kaze found Martin's groveling behavior even more repulsive than his

arrogance.

Countless soldiers braved the harsh conditions of icy mountains and scorching deserts to defend their homeland. Many had given their lives on foreign battlefields.

Martin, a disgrace to society, was perfectly content with occupying a high-ranking position while tarnishing the military's reputation.

"Boot him out of the military and dump him in a foreign war zone. He'll have to fight his way back if he wants to survive." Kaze had decided Martin's fate.

It was time for him to experience the harsh realities of the battlefield

in person.

Martin would be getting off lucky if he was arrested and put on trial.

He sank to the ground.

Kaze basically handed him a death sentence.

"Of course, God of War."

Fred nodded and beckoned the soldier, who dropped him off, over.

+25 BONUS

The soldier saluted Kaze zealously and took Martin away in a military vehicle.

Kaze looked at Fred. "Your subordinate's questionable ethics are not entirely his own fault. You should look into it. If you find nothing wrong, it will be your turn under scrutiny."

Shin and Koga were working their way into becoming a general, but Fred was already one.

Fred shuddered at Kaze's words.

"Yes, Sir! | will not leave any stones unturned."

Kaze turned to Shin and Koga with a scowl. "I expect you two to stay out of trouble. Don't ruin your future."

He was aware that Martin was just bluffing when he said he had Shin and Koga under his thumb.

Still, Kaze wanted to take the opportunity to keep them on their toes with a warning.

"Yes, Sir!"

Hot with emotions, the pair saluted.

While on their way to report to Kaze, they had been figuring out ways to explain to him.

They could not accept the fact that the God of War, whom they looked up to, had the wrong idea about them. Kaze told Koga, "Get a few retired Tiger Fangs Militia soldiers to protect my buddy's family. | will pay their wages." He would never mix his professional life with his personal affairs.

Shin was assigned to sort out Horizon Mirror Mansion's security because Kaze and his family were entitled to have protection. +25 BONUS

However, James' family had no such entitlement, and Kaze did not want to abuse his power.

Before Kaze could punish a scumbag like Martin, he must first have a

clear conscience.

"You're dismissed."

Kaze waved his arm, and Shin and the others left.

No. 9 Springville District resumed its peace.

Kaze then turned to Tiffany, who was still trying to take it all in. Sensing Kaze's gaze, Tiffany shuddered and looked at him pleadingly. Kaze said emotionlessly, "Mr. Scotch, you should return the favor to her."

After a brief daze, Ramsay drew close and raised his hand.

Smack!

Tiffany dared not put her hand over her bruised cheek.

"Thank you, Mr. God of War," Ramsay said gratefully.

Seeing Ramsay as the top three families' servant, Tiffany barked

orders and hit him whenever she felt like it.

Ramsay got his revenge and dignity by slapping Tiffany back.

Kaze said indifferently, "I'm a man of my word. From now on, Tiffany will stay at the villa as a maid and serve my buddy's family."

Chapter 287 Turned

Knowing who Kaze was, Tiffany had no guts to defy him.

"Til clean the floor now."

She ran into the mansion. Getting down on her hands and knees, Tiffany started scrubbing.

Kaze let Tiffany be because the woman knew better than to run away.

"Keep my identity a secret," Kaze uttered.

Jessica and Ramsay knew Kaze was talking to them, so they nodded.

They decided to keep it to themselves. No one would believe them if they were to say anyway.

lt was

illogical to suggest that the God of War would marry into a wealthy family and face public scrutiny. Jessica and Ramsay would not believe it themselves if they had not seen the truth with their own eyes. Kaze left Jessica in charge of getting the necessities for mansion.

No. 9.

Jessica was overjoyed.

She knew she had made the right choice. At least, Kaze was open to accepting her atonement to the Whites. Jessica got right down to it.

Ramsay excused himself and took off.

Kaze, the Whites, and Snow were left at the mansion.

Worried that James' parents might not be used to the new living

+25 BONUS

Teresa made dinner while Tiffany helped her in the kitchen.

Even though Tiffany had never done any chores around the house, let alone the kitchen, she bit the bullet and helped out. She believed Kaze was gracious enough not to pull the gun on her.

After dinner, the Whites finally settled in and accepted that Kaze had bought their family home for them. Before leaving mansion No. 9, Kaze gave Hades a call.

Once the call was connected, Kaze asked if Benedict had confessed.

Hades replied, "I can get all the information | need from Benedict in just one afternoon-"

"Has Benedict confessed?"

Kaze interrupted Hades from going off-topic.

"Why should | tell you, Kaze? Do you really think you're all that?"

Hades adopted a different attitude from this morning at the hospital. He said offhandedly, "I have released Benedict. You can question him yourself."

Kaze frowned.

What happened now?

Kaze scoffed and uttered solemnly, "I trashed your casino once, Hades. | can do it again."

"Come on. | dare you to."

Unafraid, Hades taunted Kaze.

"Do you really think I'm scared of you, Kaze? | was only playing nice.

you +25 BONUS

"| can't believe you went ahead and upset Mathias. Haha. You're an idiot, Kaze!

"I'll make you pay if you wreck my casino again, Kaze!"

Hades hung up.

Kaze destroyed his place and hit him in front of everybody last night.

Hades vowed to get his revenge.

Nevertheless, he did not intend to kill Kaze right away. Hades wanted to humiliate Kaze and push him over the edge.

With that in mind, Hades called Hunter. "Do you know that Kaze upset Mathias, Hunter? Have you asked him for the return of those 10- million-dollar cars yet?"

On the other end of the line, Hunter was not surprised by the call. "I'm one step ahead of you. | sent a message to the Quints, demanding that the fool return my cars and compensate me too." Hunter added menacingly, "Don't worry. I'm just getting started. I'm going to destroy his family if that's the last thing I'll c do."

+25 BONUS

Chapter 288 Reproach

Hades was filled with glee.

"You're a man of action, Hunter. That's how it should be. Make the

fool regret gloating."

"Hahaha!"

The two men laugh out loud over the phone.

It felt good to finally get their revenge.

"Call Don and tell him to cordon off Hades' casino, Snow."

Meanwhile, Kaze put down the phone and gave Snow instructions.

He did not take Hades' aggression seriously. In fact, Hades was not

worth his time.

Snow pulled out her phone to call Don.

Kaze got a call from Sky.

"Hurry back home, Kaze. Grandpa brought Samus, Deborah, and the others to give Darcy hell." Sky said anxiously over the phone. The commotion could be heard from his background.

Kaze had no idea what happened. He told Snow to drop him off at Skylar View District.

With Logan taking the lead, the Quints stormed into Horizon Mirror Mansion, eager to demand answers.

"Mr. Hunter from Taurus Automobiles expects the return of the three cars by the end of the day, Darcy. He is also expecting 10 million. dollars in compensation."

+25 BONUS Logan stood before Darcy, browbeating her.. "Hades wrecked my car last night, Grandpa. Taurus Automobiles has. given the three cars in return. Why should | return them?"

Darcy glanced at Samus and Deborah, who were gloating at this point. She asked indifferently, "Did you lie to Grandpa in hopes he would snatch the cars from us and give them to you?"

She was aware that Samus and Deborah reserved the two sports cars.

Samus and Deborah received the cash reward for trying to sell Horizon Mirror Mansion without permission. Knowing the siblings, they would not stop until they got what they wanted.

"Yeah, right, Darcy! Those cars belong to me and Deborah. We don't need to snatch the cars from you." Samus was furious.

"Mr. Hunter of Taurus Automobiles has issued an order for the return

of the cars and the reimbursement as well."

Deborah scoffed and said gleefully, "Do you know who Mr. Hunter is? He works for Cronus, the underworld kingpin. You and your family will get it from Mr. Hunter for crossing him."

"Taurus Automobiles said these cars were to compensate me. How they go back on their word?" r drained from Darcy's face.

mus and Deborah did not look like they were bluffing, and Logan was so nervous that he made the trip over. Taurus Automobiles must have changed their minds.

"Your idiot husband upset Mathias Queen from Butterworth. He's a fool. He could have made use of the connection, but he had to act like he was above it all and cross the man."

+25 BONUS

Now that they talked about it, the Quints were furious.

The Quints could have been associated with the Butterworth Queens, but Kaze wrecked the chance they had. Logan nearly blew his top when he learned of the news.

"He's worthless. He can't do anything right but give us trouble. If only

| could kill him."

The other family members vilified Kaze.

Darcy said nothing.

Standing in a corner, Sky tried to stand up for his brother-in-law, but his voice was lost in the Quints' reproach. "| do not welcome you at my home. Get out now!"

Kaze said curtly as he approached the house.

The Quints were livid at the sight of him.

"You cost us a valuable opportunity. How dare you throw us out!"

"You should be the one to leave. Our family will be ruined by you."

"Not only did you upset Mathias, but you had to offend the subordinate of Cronus too. Divorce Darcy before you drag us all into your mess."

+25 BONUS

Chapter 289 Trash the Dealership

The Quints looked like they were dying to tear Kaze apart with their

bare hands.

They were humiliated when Kaze kicked them out yesterday. They resented Kaze with all their might. "What happened, babe? Why are they here again?"

Ignoring the Quints, Kaze went up to Darcy and asked.

Darcy told him about the incident with Taurus Automobiles.

Kaze smiled and turned to the Quints in disdain. "I thought something major had happened. Did ittybitty Taurus Automobiles scare you?"

"What are you on about? The boss of Taurus Automobile is Cronus, the underworld kingpin. Even the most influential and wealthy families will think twice before upsetting him."

"Feel free to march to your death, but don't involve us."

The Quints were furious, but there was nothing they could do about it. They kept pressuring Darcy's family to give back the cars and pay the compensation.

Besides, Darcy had to pay out of her pocket by getting a personal loan. She could not use corporate funds. Although Darcy was now in charge of the family business, the Quints believed the arrangement was temporary. They would seize control over the company and kick Darcy away soon enough.

"Just give it up, Darcy. Return the cars and pay up. We can't afford to mess with Cronus."

+25 BONUS

Frightened, Agnes glared at Kaze.

She knew there was more to it. Kaze had landed her family in hot water again.

Darcy bit her lip in hesitation. Feeling overpowered, she intended to agree to Hunter's terms and put the matter behind her. "Fine. We'll return the cars-"

She was cut off from finishing.

"Cordon off Taurus Automobiles now," Kaze took out his phone to make a phone call and said with a blank face. Everyone exchanged glances and looked at Kaze.

They had no idea who he was talking to, but his words startled them.

Taurus Automobiles, the largest car dealership in Lilyrose, had been in business for over a decade. The dealership dominated the market for every car brand in Lilyrose.

The company was a titan in the industry.

Yet, Kaze wanted to cordon off the dealership.

"Hmph! Have you lost it again, Kaze? Show me how you're going to .do that."

"If Mr. Queen hadn't come to his rescue in time, the people at the dealership would have gotten to him today. If the dummy can cordon off Taurus Automobiles, | can cordon off the capital too..."

Following Samus' and Deborah's lead, the rest of the Quint family members mocked Kaze.

No one took Kaze seriously.

"Just return the cars and pay the money, Darcy. Don't try to get us in +25 BONUS

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Logan ignored Kaze, said his piece, and left.

The others went with him.

"Once Darcy returns the cars, do you think we can collect them, Samus?" Deborah raised her voice as she was leaving.

Samus chuckled. "Duh. We reserved those cars, so they should be

ours."

"Why don't we head to the dealership and be nice to Mr. Hunter? He might just let us collect the cars when Darcy returns them." Deborah pulled out her phone and called Vincent to accompany them to the dealership. Soon, the trio arrived outside Taurus Automobiles.

They were about to head inside.

"Blare, blare..."

Apiercing police siren was fast approaching.

Police cars quickly encircled the perimeter of Taurus Automobiles.

The employees of the dealership were too afraid to open the door.

Soon, Hunter, the general manager of the dealership hurried out of the premises.

Pulling a stern look, he said bossily, "The police have no right to block access to the dealership. We have a business to run here. Who is your superior? | want to see him now!"

25 BONUS

Chapter 290 Are You Telling Me What to Do?

In over a decade Taurus Automobiles was in operation, no law. enforcement had ever visited the premises. It was all because the owner of the dealership was Cronus.

He and Alan were the powerhouses of Lilyrose underworld.

It was said that Lilyrose during the day was managed by the top three families, but the city was ruled by the two kingpins during the night.

The presence of police did not stop Hunter from bossing around.

"Didn't you hear me? Who is your superior? Get him here!"

Hunter raised his voice cockily, not giving the police officers any

respect.

"lam their superior."

Aruthless voice was heard.

Hunter scowled at the familiar voice. Don, the police chief, made his way through the crowd and showed himself. "Chief Braders!"

Hunter exclaimed with a discolored complexion.

If there was one person Hunter feared in the police force, it was Don, the Grim Reaper of Crime.

Don followed Johnson, the mayor, to Lilyrose. Despite only being less than six months on the job, Don had closed several huge cases that rocked the Lilyrose community.

His biggest case ever happened a few days ago when he worked with

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thousands of gang members during a Construction and Material Society restructuring conference.

The fifteen gang leaders were still sitting in their cells, awaiting trial.

Their crimes had been proven beyond a shadow of a doubt. They were going to rot in jail for the rest of their lives. "Why are you arrested, Hades? What did you do?"

Hunter saw Hades in handcuffs behind Don.

Hades was beaten black and blue. He whined, "I don't know what | did, Hunter. Chief Braders brought his men and cordoned my casino off..."

He was frustrated about the situation too.

The casino had been around for years. Hades had never encountered a problem at the establishment because he had friends in high

places, and he was the nephew of Cronus.

Yet, Don led the police officers to seal off the casino.

Like Hunter, Hades could not budge Don. In fact, Don beat him up without attempting to talk to him. Hunter looked glum. He was not as arrogant as before.

He approached Don humbly and asked courteously, "To what do | owe the visit, Chief Braders?"

"We received a tip from the public that fugitives are harbored at your premises. We are here to investigate." Don did his job.

So, the police were there to arrest fugitives?

Hunter was stunned.

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There were indeed fugitives hiding out at the dealership.

As a prominent figure in the criminal underworld, Cronus had a network of individuals working for him, including fugitives on the run.

Nevertheless, Hunter did not think it was an issue. "We can launch our own investigation, Chief Braders. | promise to fish out these fugitives for you.

"Why don't you leave with your fellow police officers? You should know that Taurus Automobiles is our king's asset. Business won't be good if the police raid our place for fugitives."

Hunter decided to give up the names of a few fugitives to make Don go away. In a way, he was still giving Don what he was asking for.

It was a win-win solution.

At least, the solution was better than Don barging into the place and conducting his own sweep. Don would have caught more than a few fugitives.

"Are you telling me what to do, Mr. Hunter?"

Don was not having it. He snapped a look at Hunter and waved his arm. "Get in there. Anybody who obstructs the investigation will be arrested for harboring criminals."