

Guardian 711

Chapter 711 Who Are You to Represent the Vinlands?

Following the security officer's reaction, the attendees in the hall looked at Kaze in surprise.

They had no idea what was with Darcy's dimwit husband.

Kaze managed to instill fear in the terrifying security personnel.

"You must think highly of yourself, Kaze. They recognize you because you're the village idiot of Lilyrose," Samus sneered.

He waved his arm. "Don't just stand there. I'm ordering you as a member of the Vinland family to beat the idiot up and throw him out. Don't forget to toss his wife's family out too."

"Are you taking orders from him?"

Kaze looked at the security officers with a pretentious smile.

"Mr. Lee, um..."

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The security guards were dumbfounded.

Cold sweat rolled off their foreheads.

The attendees stared at Kaze in horror.

Even Darcy was in disbelief.

Samus was issuing a command in the name of the Vinlands.

However, these security personnel dared not carry out his order.

They had to wonder if Kaze possessed something more fearsome than the Vinlands. "Are you deaf? Didn't you hear me? Are you taking the Vinlands lightly?" Seeing that the security guards would not budge, Samus flipped out and shouted at them. "Hmph! Who are you to represent the Vinlands?"

Achilling voice pierced through the air.

The crowd turned to the source of the voice.

Arefined middle-aged man, with an entourage in tow, entered the hall with a

blank face.

"It's Hudson!"

Some among the guests recognized him.

Gasps filled the room.

"I-I'm nobody, Hudson."

Samus cocked his head and stuttered at the sight of Hudson.

He had witnessed what Hudson could do.

Samus revered the man.

Hudson drew close and glanced at Samus emotionlessly before saying, "Who gave you permission to drive Hector's family away?"

Samus shuddered in fear. He hunched over without a word.

Logan approached and said with a chuckle, "I told the security officers to kick them out, Hudson. They won't change their last names. It's clear that they don't respect the Vinlands."

He was quick to tell on his son and granddaughter.

The attendees found Logan's behavior despicable.

They gave Darcy's family sympathetic looks.

Darcy's family was going to get it for defying the Vinlands.

Nevertheless, Hudson said something unexpected.

"Who do you think you are, Logan? It's not your call to decide who has or has not disrespected the Vinlands." Everybody was taken aback.

They looked at Logan in disdain.

Logan took his wife's last name and made the whole family change theirs too.

He had to take the blame for forgetting his roots. Logan made a huge sacrifice. All he got in return was the real Vinlands bossing him around.

For a man who had lived a long life, Logan had accomplished things

The looks stung Logan.

He forced a smile and

Hudson scoffed.

Logan shuddered and did not say another word.

Kaze observed the interaction between Hudson and Logan. He glanced at Hudson coldly.

Chapter 712 Utter Humiliation

Logan's jaw dropped.

Some of the guests in the hall looked at Darcy's family in disbelief.

Hudson referred to Darcy's family as the Vinlands' honorable guests.

Rudy, Samus, and the others were infuriated.

They could not understand why Darcy's family were the Vinlands' honorable guests. It was a fact they could not accept.

The worst was yet to come.

Hudson suddenly pointed at the door and told Logan curtly, "Get out now. You and your family should leave. "Don't bother attending the party since you tried to kick my guests out." Woah!

The hall broke out in outcry.

Hudson wanted Logan and his family escorted out to stick up for Darcy's family. Darcy's family appeared to be more important to Hudson than the former Quints. "They asked for it. They were so arrogant to kick Darcy and her family out, but Hudson doesn't think much of them."

"They think they will enjoy the privilege of the wealthy by changing their last names, but they are only good for serving members of the mega-rich.

"I know, right? In the past, the servants of wealthy families were rewarded with , their serving family's last name." The taunts and snide remarks flooded the former Quints.

Samus and the others were stunned.

They could not believe or accept reality.

The former Quints had given up their everything to the Vinlands.

They even changed their last name.

Carrying the blame for ditching their roots, they were made a mockery in the city.

Yet, they meant nothing to Hudson in comparison to Darcy's family, who did nothing. Logan was pushed to the edge.

Why?

Why the hell was this happening?

Why was Hudson doing this to them?

Why must the Vinlands treat them so?

Logan thought by changing his last name and giving up the family business, he would become a member of the elite family. The public criticism did not matter.

All Logan received was Hudson ordering him around like a servant.

Logan was upset and could not let the whole matter go.

He kept his thoughts to himself, though since he was in no position to question Hudson. "Hudson, are you kidding-

Logan hunched over.

"Do I need to repeat myself?"

Hudson cut him off and pointed at the door. "Get out now."

The chilling gaze from Hudson sent chills down Logan's spine. "Fine, we'll leave now." Logan smiled embarrassedly and walked out.

"Grandpa!" Samus shouted, not wanting to back down.

"Dad!" Rudy was not having it either.

The same went for the others.

They glared at Darcy's family begrudgingly.

Still, they did not dare to ask Hudson for the reason.

"Didn't you hear him? He wants us to get out!" Logan yelled menacingly.

Rudy and the others stopped talking. Logan led his family out of the venue as the attendees watched mockingly.

The journey from the hall to the door was short, but Logan had never been walking for a lifetime. The

He had never been so humiliated.

"You can't expect others to respect you if you have no self-respect." Only Kaze's voice rang through in the dead silence.

Everybody thought he was making sarcastic remarks.

Kaze was simply lamenting.

Logan and the others had it coming.

They were complete jokes.

Hudson glanced at Kaze indifferently without a word.

He approached Darcy's family and said with a smile, "Hector, I heard that Professor Whitentan 'is treating your legs. Has he come up with a treatment plan yet?" The

Chapter 713 Seeking Darcy's Return to the Vinland Family

Darcy's family was under the spotlight of the party.

Hudson was even gracious to Hector, a cripple who had faded into the background for years. The attendees wondered if Hudson was nice to them because of Sam.

That was what Darcy's family was confused about too.

"The treatment plan isn't out yet. Professor Whiteman's away for surgery. My leg has been broken for years, so I don't see the rush. I'm not going anywhere anyway," Hector responded courteously.

He then asked, "Do you know him?"

"Hehe. I don't, but I have the utmost respect for Professor Whiteman. I should pay him a visit if I ever get the chance." Hudson chatted with Agnes in a friendly manner too.

Later, he turned his attention to Darcy and Sky.

"Hudson, the pair greeted him with respect.

Hudson complimented Sky before turning to Darcy. "You're doing well, Darcy. Despite your age, you are now the chairman of Quartet Group and Sky Ocean Corporation.

"I heard that Tanya regarded you highly and raised you to be her successor. "Tanya had a keen eye for talent. It's hard to find an accomplished individual like you among the young members of my family." Darcy received envious looks.

It was an honor to obtain Hudson's approval.

"Thank you, Hudson. I still have a lot to learn," Darcy replied humbly.

She remained calm and collected.

“You have a level head. That’s good.”

Hudson nodded.

Then came the change of subject.

“It's a shame that after Tanya’s passing, Logan was so blind to give you problems. | can’t believe he kicked you all out of the family.”

He seemed infuriated. Hudson scoffed. “I threw them out today to get back at them for what they did to you.” Not knowing what to say to that, Darcy simply nodded.

“Darcy, Tanya left home after falling out with the family. It has been years, and we have been feeling regretful over the matter,” Hudson said with a sigh.

Darcy did not understand where all that was coming from.

Still, she quietly listened out of respect for Hudson.

“The Vinlands are happy that your grandfather and the others changed their last name and came back to us. | am glad too.” Hudson looked Darcy in the eye and added, “Tanya took you under her wing, Darcy. We trust her gut.

“So | hope you can come back to us. We need you for the future of the Vinlands.” Many in the hall were shocked.

It never occurred to them that Hudson would value Darcy a lot.

Hudson was basically putting the future of the Vinlands on Darcy's shoulders.

Darcy was taken by surprise too.

“Thank you for seeing me as family, Hudson, but I’m sure many are young and talented too. They are the future of the Vinlands.”

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my cousins “They are capable, but no one can compare to you.”

Hudson waved his arm and added, “I hope you can drop your last name and become a member of the Vealand Family. I can promise you that you will be raised to be the Vinlands’ successor.” The

The crowd was taken aback as Hudson looked serious. They could not believe that Hudson would hand the family over to Darcy.

The Vinlands were old money, and they were more influential and wealthy than the Sunrise Lees. The

Darcy was given a golden opportunity. Many were envious. Darcy was surprised.

“You flatter me, Hudson, but my

cousins won't be happy to hear that.” He

Chapter 714 Changing the Vinlands' Name

“My grandmother was a member of the Vinland family, so I am too. I think there’s no need to change my family name,” Darcy rejected Hudson’s request with a smile.

To everybody’s surprise, Darcy turned down a tempting offer.

She gave up the chance to be part of the Vinland family and to run a mega-rich family.

It was clear who stood out between her and the former Quints.

As Hudson's face fell, he said solemnly, "Do you think the Vinlands aren't good enough for you, Darcy?" Darcy's heart dropped.

Hudson did not throw a fit.

However, the switch in his tone made the air heavy.

The bustling hall immediately went quiet.

No one forgot the confrontation between Hudson and Logan.

The scowl on Hudson's face startled Logan to the point of keeping his head down and holding his breath. Hudson seemed proficient in the art of manipulation.

"So what if the Vinlands aren't good enough?"

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Kaze came closer and stood next to Darcy. He looked at Hudson. "Don't you have anything better to do? Why do you keep making others change their last name?" Hudson grimaced.

Color washed off the faces of Darcy and her family.

"Stop it, Kaze."

The guests on site were shocked.

Kaze was pretty hard—on for criticizing Hudson and admitting that the Vinlands were not good enough for Darcy. “Don't pull at me, babe. I'm only speaking the truth ”

Kaze grabbed Darcy's yanking hand. “Hudson, right? Since you love changing last names, | ought to change yours too. “How should | go about this? What if | change the V to B?”

He looked at Hudson with a smile.

“What does the name make after changing the V to B?”

Some needed time to process what Kaze said.

“Just change the letter, idiot. It's Binland!”

Gasp!

Many turned pale.

Darcy's crazy husband did not hold back on the comments.

Kaze made fun of the Vinlands' name in Hudson's presence.

It was clear that Kaze thought the Vinlands were trash.

Kaze insulted the Vinlands.

He dug his own grave.

“Zip it, Kaze!”

Frightened, Agnes explained to Hudson, “Kaze says the craziest things, Hudson. Please excuse him. We don’t think the Vinlands aren’t good enough for us.”

Hudson looked Kaze dead in the eye. If looks could kill, Kaze would be long gone.

The room was filled with a deafening silence.

Everybody knew that Hudson was ticked off. He could have an outburst any minute.

However, Hudson held back the rage and nodded with a smile. “Bonyt\\

rey. Agnes Gay rstand Kaze’s situation. | won’t hold it against him. The

“| sympathize with him. He was abandoned by the Sunrise Lees and stayed in a mental institution for years.”

Hudson sighed and looked at Darcy.

“| know an expert in the(xnente) field, Darcy. nqagettn Oh wth the

expert to help Kaze.” The

Darcy was taken aback, but she soon nodded.

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“Thank you, Hudson.”

She knew that Kaze did not suffer any mental illness, but she was not at liberty to give any details. “I told you to stop it.”

Darcy glared at Kaze. She nearly had a fright.

“I was only telling the truth. Only an idiot would change their last name.

“He just wants you to change your last name and to

Chapter 715 Cunning

Kaze made the remark with a smile before giving Hudson a defiant look.

Many, Darcy included, were shocked.

Kaze’s words led them to figure out Hudson’s motive.

If Darcy were to agree with the last name change, the Vinlands could take over all the businesses under her name. The former Quints were a great example.

The crowd was surprised that Darcy’s crazy husband saw through Hudson.

They wondered if Kaze was really the loser and psycho the rumors made him out to be. Hudson was startled that Kaze would reveal the truth in public.

He quickly pulled himself together.

“You got the wrong idea, Kaze. We are a sentimental family. We mean no harm.” Hudson added with a smile, “Darcy is family to me. | just hope she can return to the Vinland family. That’s all.’ Kaze raised a brow.

Hudson was a cunning man.

It was no wonder Logan was terrified.

Nevertheless, Kaze had his way of dealing with his kind.

“| hope you're being honest. | will break anybody who gets any ideas about my wife.

“| don’t care if the person’s rich or powerful, | will destroy their family.”

Kaze grinned, but his words reflected his murderous intent.

Everybody knew the remark was directed at Hudson.

The idiot was condemning Hudson with his finger up his nose.

The nerve of Kaze.

Hudson glanced at Kaze before turning to the crowd.

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“I should put this out there. Darcy’s is my family. To anybody who picks on her, you better think twice if you can face the wrath of the Vinlands.”

The room fell silent.

Everybody knew Kaze was a dimwit.

His threat was only seen as crazy ranting.

Hudson was a different story.

His words carried weight.

Many were horrified.

Kaze raised his brows. His thoughts were validated that Hudson was sneaky. Hudson tried to interpret his remarks in a different way.

Nevertheless, Kaze said nothing.

He had already made himself clear anyway.

If the Vinlands would not quit taking advantage of Darcy, they would face the consequences.

“Darcy, my daughter, Yume, is around your age. You two should get to know each other. She can learn a thing or two from you,” Hudson told Darcy with a smile.

The guests, who had seen the drama outside the hotel, were shocked.

Hudson seemed oblivious that Kaze had slapped his precious daughter in public. "Sure, Hudson." Darcy nodded politely.

"Alright. Let's begin the banquet. Give Darcy and her family the best seats."

Hudson waved his arm at his valet in the back and went up on stage for his speech.

He did not even look at Kaze the whole time.

"I'll sew your mouth shut if you don't watch what you say!"

After taking a seat, Agnes poked Kaze.

"Don't blame Kaze, Mom. He has a point."

Darcy's eyes reflected worry.

She did not know about the Vinlands but one thing was clear: Hudson had his eye on her. The

"Don't worry, babe. I've warned Hudson. He can't touch you." The

Kaze fed Darcy a canapé. "Don't feed me. A lot of people are watching." Darcy rolled her eyes shyly.

Seeing that Kaze would not take no for an answer, Darcy ate the canapé with a frown. The

Darcy did not take Kaze's words seriously, though.

She could tell that Hudson was cunning and difficult to deal with.

Chapter 716 Clear the Mall

As the banquet began, many came to toast and flatter Hector.

Their conversation always led to Darcy without exception.

Hector would usually have a little drink now and then, watching the amount he drank.

However, he clinked glasses with all the guests today.

Later when nobody drank with him, he started pouring wine into his own glass.

While shedding tears, he downed his drink.

“What's the matter with you, Hector? Don't scare me.”

Agnes pulled him back.

“And he who had so loved her was not there, to trouble with bad hopes, or evil wishes...” Hector rasped, his tone miserable. The guests near Hector thought he was acting strange.

Darcy's family, on the other hand, knew what was going on.

Hudson bossed Master Quint and the rest of the family around.

They were kicked out of the venue in front of everybody.

The former Quints were utterly humiliated.

Even though Hector resented Master Quint, his father, for turning his back on him, sadness washed over him. The whole family felt down.

The sumptuous food tasted like nothing.

Darcy had always been the former Quints' punching bag. Yet, she was not pleased to see what the former Quints had become. She was upset.

"The unfortunate often have their share of blame," Kaze said indifferently.

Kaze could help the former Quints rise to social ranks easily.

He had given them many chances. Alas, they let the opportunities slip.

The former Quints lost everything, forsake their family name, and faced public

condemnation.

They thought they had become part of the mega-rich.

All they became were the lapdogs of the mega-rich.

They had no one to blame but themselves.

The party came to an end.

After saying goodbye to Hudson, Darcy and her family left Dynasty Hotel.

Kaze promised to go shopping with Brenda, so he parted ways with Darcy's family at the hotel entrance. Since Golden Edge was a walking distance from Dynasty Hotel, Kaze, Brenda, and Winnie took a stroll there. "Help me with the claw machine later, Godfather. I want a lot of plushies."

Brenda clung to Kaze. She was as happy as a clam.

"I feel like you are father and daughter while I'm just the godmother."

Even Winnie felt jealous.

She was grateful to Kaze. Their family life had only gotten better since Kaze showed up.

James found his justice.

The Goldings and Taylor were waiting for trial. Prison time was definitely on the cards for them.

Kaze, Brenda, and Winnie entered Golden Edge.

Not in a hurry to shop for clothes, Kaze took Brenda to the claw machine.

"Wow! You're amazing, Godfather! Now catch that teddy!"

It took a while, but Kaze managed to catch a few plushies. Still, Brenda was overjoyed.

She had a great time.

A security officer suddenly approached them. "I'm sorry, but please leave Golden Edge now. The mall is about to close."

Nearby, many security officers, management personnel, and even shopping guides of different shops persuaded other customers to leave.

The mall was being cleared.

"What the hell? I was in the middle of my meal. Why are you kicking Heiqut? It's ONS Rast hi Ci nearly the closing time. That's not how you do business." The

A hot-tempered man yelled outside a restaurant.

Many shared his sentiment.

It was easy for the shoppers to walk away. They could simply not choose to buy anything from the shops. However, it was absurd to be thrown out in the middle of a meal.

"I'm sorry, sir. We have our orders. Please work with 345 wend mM

c rge yewyourn al," a server apologized to the man. The

"It's not a matter of money. It's the principle!"

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Trying to be sensible, the man uttered, "Are you catching a criminal on the loose, or is the mall on fire?"

“Yeah. We’re not unreasonable people. We’ll cooperate if there’s a real emergency,” many customers chimed in. However, the server had no idea either.

The hot-tempered man said angrily, “Anybody would be pissed if they \ retold to leave h fway eating ithout a reason.” The

“No one cares how you feel.” A group of men in suits drew close aggressively. They barked at the public.

“Leave Golden Edge right now. We have a VIP reserving the entire mall, and the place needs to be cleared. Leave now!”

Chapter 717 Flaunt Your Wealth in Chrysalis

The group of men in suits were burly.

They must be trained, hired protection.

These men looked aggressive and mean. They were pretty intimidating.

“The VIPs wanted to shop in peace, so they reserved the entire mall. Leave now.”

They were overbearing.

The group of men commanded the customers to leave right away.

The customers initially thought that there was a criminal on the loose or a fire in

the mall.

They could not believe that they were getting kicked out because some VIPs wanted to shop.

Many customers were not having it, and they wanted to reason with the management staff.

Those who did not have time to finish their meals were most furious.

“So what if you didn’t finish eating? The VIP spends enough cash to get you free meals. What more do you want?” The hired security detail was acting like bullies.

Their attitude was infuriating.

“We can afford our own meals. VIP, my ass. That’s just rude. Money isn’t everything,” the hot-tempered man yelled. “Ha! Money is everything.”

The hired security officer approached the man and had his finger up the man’s

nose.

“If the VIP didn’t have class and told us not to get physical, | would have slapped you for that comment.* Many jeered in rage.

The VIP kicked everybody out of the mall because they wanted to shop.

That was not class at all.

“What’s wrong with my comment? VIP, my ass. They can eat my shorts, for all | care!”

Brushing off the threat, the hot-tempered man ran his mouth.

“Do you know who you are talking about? It’s Ms. Yume Vinland.”

The hired protection said with a sinister smile, “What else do you want to say? Go on. Everything earlier was recorded.” His companion in the back was recording with his phone.

The VIP was Yume Vinland.

The clamoring mall quieted down.

“Vinland? That's the family who made a top family like the Quints to change their names.”

“The Quints are in the ranks of the top three families, but even they were defenseless. The Vinlands sound like trouble.” “That explains why the VIP has the money to reserve the entire mall.”

The customers mostly belonged to the middle class. They did not know much about higher society. Nevertheless, news about the Quints’ collective last name change was a bombshell.

The word spread like wildfire across Lilyrose.

The Vinlands were mammoths that the public could not afford to mess with.

The hot-tempered man was frightened.

Still, he said sternly, “So what if she’s a rich lady? Is she going to kill me?”

“Ms. Vinland will not do anything against the law.”

The hired protection murmured eerily, “She doesn’t need to get her hands dirty dealing with the likes of you. There will be people who will do that for her,

though. In fact, they don't have to break the law to ruin you because there are many other ways.

"Where do you and your wife work? Your kid must be in school. Which school?"

The hot-tempered man turned pale.

"I'm sorry, sir. We shouldn't have condemned Ms. Vinland."

The man's wife immediately apologized to the hired protection.

"I forgive you on behalf of Ms. Vinland. Now, leave!"

The hired protection waved them off arrogantly.

The couple dragged their child to leave.

It must have been traumatizing because the family left without a peep.

The other customers around were shocked. They didn't get into it with the hired protection.
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Wanting to stay out of trouble, they intended to leave the place. It was frustrating to be kicked out. However, no one dared to speak up. "Don't just stand there! Take your child and leave!"

A hired security officer saw Kaze, Brenda, and Hsela with a scowl. The

Without looking at the officer, Kaze said indifferently, "Tell Yume that if she

wants to flaunt her wealth, she can go back to

Chapter 718 Fighting at the Claw Machine

Kaze's voice was soft.

However, the volume stood out as the public was walking out in silence.

Many customers looked at Kaze in surprise. They wondered who he was.

Kaze had the guts to tell Yume to get out of Lilyrose because her money was no good here.

"Watch what you say, bro. It's Yume of the Vinland family. You can tell from these bodyguards that she doesn't mess around." "Yeah. Just put up with it. We are just commoners. We can't confront them, but we can walk away from them." "Hurry. Just take your child and leave."

Many tried to persuade Kaze.

Although Kaze voiced their grievance, they were more worried about Kaze getting into it with Yume's security detail. Commoners had no business with the likes of Yume.

Kaze smiled at them. "It's okay. Just stay at the mall. Go back to shopping and eating."

He then turned to the furious hired protection. "Tell Yume to get lost. Here isn't the place for her to flaunt her wealth."

“Who are you? How dare you tell Ms. Vinland to leave! That's blatant disrespect,” the hired protection uttered aggressively, his eyes bulging at Kaze.

“I slapped her today. You can tell Yume that. She knows who I am,” Kaze said indifferently. He took Brenda's hand. “Come on, Brenda. I'll win you more plushies.”

“I want the teddy, Godfather.”

Brenda could not let go of the adorable teddy.

The customers were speechless to watch Kaze trying his luck at the claw machine with the girl like nothing ever happened. Who was the guy?

The man just said that he had slapped Yume.

Everybody was skeptical.

However, they were in for drama.

“So, you're the fool who attacked Ms. Vinland at Dynasty Hotel today!”

The hired protection pointed at Kaze angrily. “Do you know why Ms. Vinland reserved the mall? You made her angry, and she needs retail therapy to feel better!”

The surrounding customers were shocked.

It appeared that the guy had been telling the truth all along.

Ignoring the raging bodyguard, Kaze operated the claw machine without looking back. He successfully won the teddy.

“Wow! You're the best, Godfather!”

Brenda tugged on the leg of Kaze’s pants, jumping with joy.

The hired protection was livid to be brushed off.

The other security officers then approached.

The leader asked with a frown, “What's going on? What are you doing? Why didn’t you tell them to leave?” “That's the idiot who assaulted Ms. Vinland.”

The bodyguard pointed at Kaze.

The leader of the hired protection stared at Kaze.

“Ms. Vinland wanted to be discreet, so she didn’t let us follow her to the hotel. | can’t believe the bastard hit her.

“Now that we have him here, we should avenge Ms. Vinland. She'll feel better.”. The leader wt the Hired protecti Said curtly, “Turn him around and slap him!” “ | have the same thought.” The

The hired security officer extended his arm to grab Kaze by the neck.

The leader of the hired protection said, “Take a video of it. We can show Ms. Vinland-” “Argh!”

Before the leader could finish talking, the bodyguard cried out and fell on his bottom. The

He held his cheek angrily. "What happened?"

The other security officers had no idea about the situation. They obstructed their view.
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"The bastard hit me!" the bodyguard on the floor yelled. Seriously? The others did not believe him. Kaze had his back facing them the whole time.

He had one hand operating the claw machine.

Chapter 719 Who Is the Owner of Golden Edge?

"Of course it happened," the hired security officer on the ground shouted. He released his hand over his cheek to reveal a handprint.

Startled, the security detail realized that there was more to Kaze.

"Take him down!"

At the wave of the security officer's arm, his companions in the back charged toward Kaze. Smack!

Smack!

Smack!

Following several blows, the hired protection cried out in agony.

They collapsed to the ground, one by one, over each other.

“Oof!”

The leader of the security officers saw everything unfold.

It was as if Kaze had eyes on the back of his head. He smacked all approaching security officers to the ground like they were flies.

One of Kaze’s hands was on the claw machine the whole time.

Kaze even won a little dinosaur plushie.

It was absurd.

The leader of the bodyguards was not the only one with his jaw dropped. The nearby customers were in shock too. “Wow! You're getting better at it, Godfather!”

Brenda was overjoyed.

“I can do magic.”

Kaze smiled. It took practice to get good at claw machines.

Without looking back, he said, “Did you take a video of the whole thing? Show Yume and tell her to get lost.” The leader of hired protection scowled.

His phone rang.

“Ralph Doe! Do you even know how to do your job? Have you cleared the mall yet? | see a lot of people here. Are you an idiot?” Yume yelled on the phone.

It sounded like Yume was about to blow up. “We have a bit of a situation, Ms. Vinland.” “What situation? You're fired if you can't even do the simplest thing.”

Frightened, the leader of the hired protection said uneasily, “Here's the thing, Ms. Vinland. The person who hit you is at a claw machine in Golden Edge with a child. He beat up my men and told you to leave-”

“What? How dare he tell me to leave! | reserved the entire mall!” Yume screamed.

“| have found out who he is. The nerve of the loser to tell me to leave. Make him wait there. I'm coming over from the hotel now. “I'm taking my dad's hired guns with me. | want him to repent and kneel all night!”

Yume went ballistic.

“You're finished, boy! Ms. Vinland will be arriving soon with her family bodyguards. These men are on another level from us, so I'm curious how plan on getting away with it.”

you The leader of the hired protection put down his phone and said menacingly while pointing at Kaze. He had made sure he kept his distance from Kaze.

“You're the man, but | think you should leave now with the kid. Don't make

things worse than they already are.”

“That's right. We have taken a video. We can testify that youpniy fought

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“Go now. I heard the bodyguards of wealthy families retreated fightets. Iti be tbe farvifyou don’t leave now.” The

The onlookers persuaded Kaze to leave.

Even Winnie tried to convince Kaze worriedly.

They could all predict that things would not end well when Yume arrived with her family bodyguards,

“Godfather, the lady is so mean. She won’t stop picking on us,” Brenda uttered with a pout.

The little girl, innocent and harmless as a fly, reflected Yume’s true nature in her words.

Kaze tousled her hair. “Since you hate her, let’s make her djsgppear tial wer ‘Okay? Biorida replied. The

“Hmph! You must have wet your pants from fear. You’re only making an excuse to escape.” The leader of the hired protection grew arrogant. “Scram!” Kaze ignored him.

He took out his phone and called Snow. “Who is the owner of Golden Edge?”

Chapter 720 I'll Be His Fallback

“Mr. Chairman, the owner of Golden Edge is Winston Carter, the chairman of Landley Corporation, but he owes his success to the top three families.

“Golden Edge’s profits have been healthy. After the fall of the top three families, Winston has been looking for a buyer. He’s looking for an ally to fall back on.

“The Lees and the Vinlands are interested in taking over, but he’s hesitant, afraid to cross either one.”

Snow was a highly capable assistant.

Without needing time to investigate, she briefed Kaze on the situation with Golden Edge.

“Snow, get Mathias to contact Winston. Tell him to sell the mall to me, and I'll be his fallback.”

Kaze then hung up.

Since the Vinlands and the Lees had their eye on Golden Edge, Kaze wanted to snatch the mall away from them. “What do you mean by fallback? Even God can't save you now.”

The leader of the hired protection had no idea what Kaze had done. He said arrogantly, “Kneel now to welcome Ms. Vinland.” Kaze turned and glanced at him.

“Get lost!”

Kaze's voice instilled fear.

The leader of the hired protection turned ashen with fright and took a few steps

back.

He looked at Kaze in horror.

Some customers were still persuading Kaze to flee.

Otherwise, things would not end well for him when Yume arrived.

Kaze replied, “Thank you for your concern, but I can guarantee that Yume won't be able to enter Golden Edge. “Carry on with your shopping and dining.”

He turned and carried Brenda. "Come, Brenda. Your turn at the claw machine." "Okay! | want the doggy."

The customer's were lost for words as Kaze turned back to operate the claw machine with the child.

The guy sure was carefree. He was oblivious to the disaster to come.

They did not believe Kaze's claim that Yume would not be able to gain entry into Golden Edge.

Only Winnie understood Kaze. She could relax.

Outside Golden Edge, several customers, who decided to leave, walked out begrudgingly.

They could be mad about Yume's arrogance, but there was nothing they could do or say about it.

Several neon-colored sports cars pulled up.

The entrance of Golden Edge faced a plaza, not a parking lot. However, the drivers of these sports cars just stopped at the entrance.

Yume got out of the car.

Since the swelling on her cheek had not gone down, she wore a mask.

Lyn, Juno, and the others exited their individual sports cars.

Two muscular men got out of the Mercedes Benz in the back.

Ignoring the onlookers, Yume pointed at the plaza. "That's a good place. Drag that loser here later. " | want him to kneel to pay for what he did to me."

Yume had learned who Kaze was.

Technically, she was a distant aunt to Kaze. Yume was outraged to be slapped outside Dynasty Hotel by her distant nephew. She had intended to wait until the swelling on her cheeks went down before seeking Kaze out.

Yume splurged money to clear Golden Edge for a lelectra spree. Skeneéded etail therapy to calm down. The

It never crossed her mind that Kaze would be at Golden Edge and even told her to leave.

"Kneeling all night isn't enough. We should slap him ist esti hig face

i ' reaggnitbe | yn hissed through clenched teeth. The

Juno and the others echoed her words, They enjoyed the perks of higher society in Chrysant, so they had never been humiliated. "They are so cocky. Do you think she is Yume Vinland?"

"It's her. Judging by her attitude, she does look like EPR reserve '

Golden Buge 4nd aunt her wealth."

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The customers, who were driven out of the mall, murmured to themselves.