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Chapter 481: Belong to Him

What Lyca hated more than having to marry this lunatic again is the fact that she had to undergo all this procedure of fixing herself, making herself look beautiful, wearing such huge clothes, and walking in front of other people. She thought it was too tiring and she was honestly too lazy for all that.

Good thing, she already has an escape plan tonight. She smiled at him. "Do you blame me?" she asked, her voice turned a little shrill. "You I trusted you I loved you and gave you everything! But you " she let out a long sigh and watched as Xu Ke stared at her, disbelief flashed in his eyes. Her current outbursts must have surprised him.

"Lyca "

"You have my family killed in front of me then killed me. Then" she pushed him away as she staggered towards the vials that contain the small creatures. "Then you suddenly showed up and ruin my life in this world too!" She let tears fall into her cheeks. "You killed my husband and now threatening to kill my family! Did you expect me to accept you with open arms?"

"Lyca "

"Get away from me! Don't you dare approach me you are making me nauseous!"

"Lyca you are drunk!" he took a quick look at the wine and frowned at its high alcohol content. "Come let me take you to your room."

"No get away from me."

"Lyca "

Lyca's sharp gaze made him alert. But instead of attacking him, Lyca started to break the vials, releasing the creature on the tiled floor. This action instantly killed the creature.

"What are you doing?" Xu Ke frowned.

"Tomorrow is our wedding day!" Lyca decided to increase her dramatics. "Tomorrow you will have me." Then she smirked. "Did you think you can have everything in this world?" With that, she started throwing the vials at him.

He used his hand to try and catch the vials but there were just too many of them.

"Lyca!" A hint of warning accompanied his voice. The next thing he knew, Lyca was already on the floor, crying, clutching her bloodied hand. "Lycatsk! You knew that you couldn't handle alcohol but you still tsk. Did you think this would stop me from doing what I want tomorrow?"

Lyca pursed her lips. She didn't answer him and just continued crying.

"Let me take you to your room." He suddenly carried her in his arms as she strode towards her room. He stared at the cut in her left hand and shook his head. "Sleep the cut won't kill you."

Still, Lyca maintained her silence. She turned her head away. "Leave me alone"

"My people would come six In the morning to start the preparations. Tomorrow, you will be the most beautiful bride that this world will ever see."

She thought she heard amusement in her voice. After a few seconds, she felt him leave her room. The moment he left, the sadness on Lyca's face disappeared. She straightened her body and stared at the ceiling, both of her hands clenched into fists.

She thought of ways to escape this place for a long time. Yet, the fact that Xu Ke would surely hurt Tang Ruyi and the other members of the Tang Family is stopping her from even trying. Some people would think it was foolish for her to actually care this much.

But that was only because those people haven't seen their family being killed in front of them. As someone who had been through that hurtful thing in the past, Lyca was adamant not to experience it again. True, she was a killer, a coldblooded one.

But to her, family is the only thing making her human.

Her emotions towards them were the only thing from turning her into this emotionless monster that would kill anyone without batting an eye.

Soon, she closed her eyes and opened both of her palms. Lyca was aware that Xu Ke had been monitoring her every move all the time. She knew he was watching her.

Therefore, it was hard for her to take a creature away from the lab.

However, the incident tonight enable her from doing just that.

She smiled as she felt the dead creature sat on her right palm. It was perfectly still, almost dead. Slowly, she put both of her hands together, letting the creature have a sip of her blood.

Soon it will be soon.

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Meanwhile, Xu Ke's face was dark the moment she left Lyca's room. He didn't know that the woman's resentment towards him actually ran so deep. It would be hard to control her in the future if she keeps on acting like this.

"How is it?"

"Hundred percent effective" The man who answered Xu Ke was the head researcher of this lab. "One injection and she would forget everything. Her memories would be wiped out. Just say the word boss and we will administer the memory liquid to her right now."

"What will happen when she wakes up tomorrow?" Xu Ke asked.

"She will forget everything." The man smiled, showing his golden teeth at him. "Everything about her."

Xu Ke squinted. "Do it at midnight when she is asleep." Lyca was drunk and she might turn aggressive once he tries to do something now that he was still conscious. He then walked towards

the man who was steadily typing on the keyboard, there are more than twenty screens in front of the man.

"Anything?" Xu Ke asked.

"Nothing. No movements outside."

Xu Ke clenched his jaw. As someone who knew Lyca too well, he knew that there should be an upcoming attack the night before his wedding. He knew that Lyca must be planning something. The outbursts earlier were enough proof of this.

Lyca must have wanted him to lower his guard down while thinking she is drunk and wasted.

"Keep on checking everything."

"Yes, sir."

Xu Ke went back to his own office as he thought of the reason why he originally thought there would be an attack tonight.

At his engagement party, he thought that Lyca was acting weird. At that party, Lyca disappeared with Tang Ruyi for a couple of minutes. Because of this, Xu Ke started to turn suspicious. Lyca must have asked Tang Ruyi to save her, right?

In fact, Xu Ke had been asking his people to be on high alert since his engagement party. However, until now, there weren't any attacks yet. However, he isn't going to lower his guard down.

Just when Lyca thought she would win, Xu Ke was planning to break her bubble and prove to her that in this world, she can only belong to him.

Chapter 482: Respirator

Xu Ke opened his laptop and read the current reports that his people sent him. Right now, he could already see the traces of the Ye Family's involvement in the matters of Xu Country. It seems that they wanted the country to have a civil war and directly benefit from it.

Too bad Xu Ke would never stop them from having a civil war. In fact, he would encourage them to do so. He stared at the reports for a few seconds before turning his gaze towards the screen, where he could see the cameras that were monitoring the movements of the people outside of this facility.

Right now, he couldn't actually focus on anything, mainly because of his great anticipation of the attack tonight. "Any movements?" he asked. To make sure that he would see everything, he asked the one in charge of the cameras to work inside his office.

"None, sir."

"Are you sure?"

"Yes, sir."

"But Can you check her room for me?"

"Yes, sir." The man started tapping into his keyboard, and the video switched to Lyca's room. When he saw her continue lying in the bed, unmoving. He let out a sigh of relief. Clearly, she was intoxicated earlier. However, he just wanted to make sure that she was really asleep.

"Alright, switch it back to all videos must be pointed outside. She developed an armor that might be able to have some invisibility function. We need to be thorough."

Unbeknownst to him, the only reason why he couldn't see any attack from the outside is that Lyca was planning the attack from the inside of the facility.

The loud boom interrupted his stupor, he stood up. "What is going on?"

"Sir, there seems to be some kind of explosion from the labs"

"Labs?" With that, he grabbed his coat and ran towards the lab. His frown deepened when someone one of his employees wearing a white lab coat stopped him from going inside the lab where they were trying to develop the amnesiac drug. "What is it?"

"The explosion came from the ventilation system." The man responded. "Sir, I suggest we evacuate the whole west side of the facility."

"Explain yourself!" Xu Ke hissed as he pushed the man away and walk past him.

"Sir, everyone is dead!" the man once again blocked his way.

"Dead?"

"A green gas caused the explosion! I saw it with my own eyes. I was just about to go inside and was taking a shower so I could change into my uniform when I saw the gas seeped through the ventilation from the shower. Then it went inside the lab. And that was when the explosion happened!"

It was as if the world narrowed in Xu Ke's eyes. He looked at the square glass on the door that would lead him to the part of the lab where people would shower to change into their lab coats. Across the door was another door made of thick, reinforced, frosted glass.

However, despite the frost in the glass, he could still see that the room had turned green.

BOOM! another explosion echoed, causing debris to fall from the walls. The entire facility seemed to tremble as another explosion followed.

"What the hell was that?"

Xu Ke let out a few curses before he went back to his office. "Reports!?"

"Sir, there are still no signs of people outside."

"But there should be there should be people outside!" Xu Ke's eyes were wide. Rage started to boil inside his veins. Without saying anything, he left the room and marched towards Lyca's laboratory. The acrid smell of chemicals made him frown.

"Sir, I believe it is best to leave the building now. We don't really know what kind of chemicals are "

"Go and tell your men to follow me." Xu Ke ordered one of the head military personnel without even trying to listen to the officer's warnings. Despite all the chaos, Xu Ke managed to get a respirator to protect him from the gasses. The blaring alarm inside the building made everyone panic. Footsteps of people trying to get their own respirator masks can be heard everywhere.

"Sir, I suggest we "

"Shut up! Take me to the Lyca's quarters"

"But sir, the second and third explosion happened in that area. I'm afraid that "

The man wasn't able to finish his sentence when a knife impaled him in the heart, he stared at Xu Ke, wide-eyed. "Sir"

"I hate people that talk a lot." Xu Ke pulled the hunting knife and used the man's uniform to wipe the blood on its blade. "Now all of you are going to shut up and take me to Lyca safely."

The six other people looked at each other before they nodded and started walking towards Lyca's quarters.

"You! Take off your respirator!" Xu Ke ordered.

"Yes, sir!" Without any choice, the young soldier took off his respirator and almost immediately, his face contorted. He grabbed his throat, eyes wide as she started coughing up blood. Seeing this, Xu Ke ordered someone to help the man put his respirator back on.

He squinted his eyes towards the thick fog-like white and greenish gas that is starting to block their vision. Even his eyes beneath the full-face respirator are starting to tingle. "We need to hurry before the gas would fill this whole place up!" This time, Xu Ke's calm heart started beating, his hand started sweating.

He couldn't help but wonder if this was Lyca's way of killing herself or it was something else. Was it the vials that she spilled on the lab?

However, before they could even walk ten meters, the man who removed his respirator earlier started trembling as he fell on the floor with a loud thud.

"Hel " the man wasn't able to finish his words before his eyes turned white, his face turned green.

"Sir "

"Leave him!" Xu Ke said indifferently. "He died because he is weak! Let's continue! The of you! Walk in front of me! The others protect the back!"

Chapter 483: Completely Fine

The smell of something acrid burnt in their throats just as they neared Lyca's quarters.

"Sir, it seems that the explosion came from this lab."

Xu Ke heard someone say. "Tell me something, I don't already know!" Xu Ke hissed. "You take off your mask!" he pointed at the man who spoke.

"But sir."

"Do you want to die!?"

The soldier stared at him. He doesn't want to die, and that is exactly why he didn't want to remove his mask. "Sir, I don't think "

"You "Just as Xu Ke was about to attack the man with his knife, the man turned around and tried to run away from him. Sadly for him, Xu Ke didn't just bring a knife. XU Ke didn't hesitate to shoot the man at the back of his head.

"Now! Anyone else wanted to die?" He asked, a smug smirk was hidden beneath his mask. "Now! Take off your mask!"

Without hesitation, the soldier took off his mask and, just as expected, he started to cough. This time, the man died in a few seconds without having the time to put his mask back on. This mad, Xu Ke frowned. It seems that the surrounding poison is getting stronger.

He wanted to take off his mask and see if it would affect him despite his internal energy but decided against it when he thought that this must be Lyca's way of killing herself and dragging him down to hell.

That woman

He needed to find her body as soon as possible.

"Continue walking inside!" Xu Ke said.

"Sir, the door is still intact. The green gas inside is dense. There is a possibility that once we open it, it would immediately kill us."

Xu Ke didn't say anything. He stared at the glass that is separating them from the thick gas inside as he wondered why the glass didn't break.

If the explosion happened inside, the glass should have.

It is not inside the lab!

Xu Ke lifted his head and stared at the ceiling. The explosion happened in the ventilation system. But how?

How the hell did Lyca manage to cause such an explosion?

"Sir what are we going to do now?"

"Open the door. Brace yourselves, the poison is thicker and more potent inside." Xu Ke finally made the decision to go inside. As long as they didn't take off their mask, they should be safe, right? "Password is 54215796352415963574830533674000ssfw255." If Lyca would hear him say the password, she would have cursed inwardly.

Who has the time to memorize such a long password?

The sound of the automatic door being opened made everyone alert. They then watched as the thick glass inside rush out, slowly filling the way. When Xu Ke notice that the gas is not affecting him, he smirked and started walking inside.

That was when he heard his people started coughing.

He turned his head and saw his men on the floor, trying their best to breathe. Seconds passed and almost all of them were already passed out on the floor. Hell, he wasn't even sure if they are really dead or just fainted because of their mask.

Sadly, he had no time to investigate. The fact that he wasn't affected only meant that Lyca is not affected too. But that only applies if she found a mask to protect herself.

Xu Ke didn't put any masks inside the lab. It would be impossible for her to get one inside. He slowly walked inside and eyed the two doors. One is Lyca's lab, while the other is Lyca's room.

Without having second thoughts, Xu Ke walked inside Lyca's room. Just like the other part of this side of the facility, Lyca's room was already full of thick greenish gas. His eyes zeroed in on her empty bed. The sight of it immediately made him infuriated.

Seeing Lyca dead would have immediately made her feel better!

He was about to walk inside the lab when he felt a sudden tingling sensation in his eyes. After letting out a few curses, Xu Ke decided not to go inside the lab, as he knew that this time the gas would affect him.

"Looking for me?"

It was as if Xu Ke saw a ghost when he saw Lyca walked out of the lab without a mask.

"You " The fact that the gasses don't affect her was incredible enough! Almost immediately, his eyes shone as he stared at Lyca, as if he was staring at the best specimen in this world. "Lyca I am so glad that you are safe!" He immediately changed his tone as he tried to approach her.

But the moment he took a single step towards her, Lyca went inside the lab.

"What are you doing?" Xu Ke asked. "This place is dangerous. We need to leave here."

Lyca only snorted. "Why would I leave? I am perfectly safe here." It turns out that those creatures are the key if making her immune to the gas that she created herself.

During her scuffle with Xu Ke earlier, Lyca purposely hurt herself, making sure that splatters of her blood would get into the creatures on the floor. And just as she expected, the creatures reacted to her blood and started reproducing then eating their infants until they exploded and die.

The reason for the explosion is actually because they can't survive without Lyca's blood.

The creature tried to get out of the place in an attempt to find blood but the place was sealed except for the ventilation. And that was how they got into it.

The explosion that followed was pretty self-explanatory. Even Xu Ke had seen it before. The difference is that the creature exploded outside of the tube.

"Lyca what are you doing?" Xu Ke asked. Until now, he was still confused about how this woman managed to survive in a highly poisonous environment like this. But he was planning to find out soon once he gets her and erased her memories! "Come let me take you out of this place." He tried to extend his hand inside the lab only to feel his skin turned hot. The air inside had a tinge of acid. And it was hurting his skin.

But it seemed that Lyca was completely fine?

Chapter 484: Kidnapped and Liking it!

"Lyca come let's leave this place."

"Please Xu Ke" Lyca snorted. "Can you please stop acting? It is irritating me."

"Lyca what are you talking about?"

She snorted and took another step back, letting the gas hide her from Xu Ke's gaze. "Lyca listen. This place is going to collapse soon. I asked my people to have the emergency system blow this place up. We need to leave."

"You wanted me to believe that you would blow this place up because of some gasses? Xu Ke please tell me you didn't think I would believe that?"

"Lyca, what are you saying? This "

"Are you still as clueless? Or, you finally realized that tonight, everything is going on end?"

"Lyca "

"The explosion was deliberate. I wanted to kill your people and you. My only mistake is not being able to kill you."

"You You think you can kill me with a mere gas?" Finally, his facade fell. He chuckled. "You know you can't beat me in hand-to-hand combat. I am stronger than you, bigger and faster."

"Who told you that I am trying to fight you?" Lyca smiled. "Why would I hurt myself in fighting you when I can just destroy what you like the most and run away?"

"You won't be able to run away. This place is strong, the security is " Xu Ke's face darkened when she realized something. This place is indeed very secured. Not even a missile would be able to destroy this place. This was mostly because most part of the place is actually underground. Xu Ke actually killed the President because he wanted to use the funds of the country for this project.

This facility was not only designed to fight off missiles. It was also impenetrable from the inside. All of its walls were bulletproof, even the glass is bulletproof. It has defenses from both inside and outside attacks.

But it didn't have any defense against gaseous attacks. Especially if it's done from the inside. "You You knew about the defense system of this facility?" he hissed.

"Nope. I am not that smart." Lyca continued smiling. This irritated Xu Ke even more.

"But did you think this was enough to ruin the facility?"

"Nope. But it was enough to ruin your specimen and everything with blood in it. I am happy with that."

Xu Ke squinted. "Did you think I wouldn't be able to kill you again?" he asked, his expression slowly morphing into an ugly scowl. A sinister glint flashed in his eyes. "Did you think "

"Nope. You are very capable of killing me and that's fine. You can kill me anytime you want. But you have to make sure that you will survive the gas. I mean can you feel that tingling now? Was it in your eyes? Or throat? Can you feel the acidic aftertaste as if you were eating something?"

"You "

"Xu Ke you are underestimating me." Lyca was already beaming at him as if Xu Ke had no signs of winning. And that was when reality hit him.

"Xu Jihan you were purposely trying to make him suspicious to you?"

She scoffed. "How could I make people suspicious of me? Did you think I had some magic power to do that? It was his nature to be suspicious. And it was your nature to kill the people that would doubt you and your ideas. At the end of the day, both of your actions were fueled by human nature." She didn't hide the mockery that laced her tone.

One was super suspicious and the other loves to kill.

Xu Ke and Xu Jihan are not exactly the best people in the world. But playing them, making them fight is such a fun thing to do.

"And you agreed with the marriage, pretending that you asked for Tang Ruyi's help so I would watch out for any attacks from the outside should be a part of your plan too."

Lyca only smiled in response. Was it her fault that Xu Ke wanted to show her he was the one in charge? Xu Ke had been acting like a fool. But how could she miss the signs? Xu Ke knew her just as much as she knows him. Both of them were like two toddlers, playing pretend with each other.

"You wanted me to trust you enough to bring you out then make me suspicious by purposely talking to Tang Ruyi for a bit. Still I am missing something here. What if Tang Ruyi acted just like your grandfather and didn't join the party? Who are you going to talk to?" Xu Ke fell into deep thought. He knew that he was missing a big chunk of information.

"You planned this from the start?" Xu Ke asked her. "You plan to fool me from the start?"

"It seems that you are still as smart as you were in the previous world," Lyca noted. "And that was a compliment."

"Then this means Shen Qui." Could be alive too! This devil!

All this time, he thought that he already had Lyca in his clutches. That he could make her dance in his palms like a puppet! All this time, he thought that Lyca was too depressed because of Shen Qui's death! He thought that controlling her should be easier.

He knew that she was always emotional and losing her husband must have made her vulnerable.

Then she stayed inside without any signs of leaving. She lived a life of routine, sleeping, eating, working. Letting him believe that she had lost her hope and just wanted to resurrect her husband.

All this time, he was thinking that he was ten steps ahead of her when she was actually the puppeteer and he was just her damn puppet! "How how did you create that explosion."

"Not telling," Lyca said. "Ah, I will miss this life. I love sleeping and eating food. I love that it didn't have the usual drama in the outside world. I love that I get to just experiment all day." She laughed. Her deal with Shen Qui was two months. At least two months.

She will stay here for two months just as he was talking to the members of the Ye Family for a collaboration.

"I will always remember everything. When I am old, I would probably tell my grandchildren about being kidnapped and liking it."

Chapter 485: My Turn

"You "

The disgust laced with mockery in Lyca's voice was too thick, Xu Ke wasn't able to stop himself from trying to approach her. However, Lyca was inside the green smoke. Two steps towards her and Xu Ke was already coughing. He held his throat and took a few steps back. "This won't end well."

"Of course, it won't!" Lyca hissed. "Did you think I would come here and hope that it would end well? The worst-case scenario is that both of us would die inside this facility soon."

Xu Ke was glaring at her. She knew how he must have wanted to kill her right then and there.

But the gas is enough to kill him.

Lyca snorted. "It's the end, Xu Ke."

"End? Did you think I would let you survive this? Since you want to die then we can just die together!"

This statement made Lyca frowned. The Xu Ke she knew would never see death as an option. This only meant that he is still hiding something. But what could it be?

The thing about Lyca's plan is the risk.

One mistake and she would really die inside of this facility. At first, she had doubted herself. To be honest, she didn't want to die. But what could she do? Xu Ke is simply not someone that would just allow her to live peacefully.

Lyca suddenly smiled at him. "You know that creature that you asked me to study? Would you believe me if I tell you that it was the reason for the explosion?" Lyca said as she slowly walked towards him. One mistake and Xu Ke would surely attack her.

Well, it was just as she expected. The moment, Lyca took a step outside of the gas, Xu Ke suddenly pounced at her. Like a cat, the man seemed to leap towards her, making her fall towards the floor with him straddling her. Still, the smile on Lyca's face didn't vanish.

"I see " Xu Ke nodded. "So you wanted to die after all." He could see Lyca's crazed eyes stared back at him as if she was waiting for him to kill her, end her miserable life. "I see " After all this time, Xu Ke is still trying to figure out what this woman's goal was. What was she trying to do?

Was she trying to kill herself with him?

"What do you see?" she asked.

Or trying to leave this place?

"And empty shell!" With that, Xu Ke raised his hand and tried to punch her. Lyca moved her head to the left, letting him miss her face by a few inches.

But that was only Xu Ke's first attack. How could he still let this crazy woman go? To him, Lyca was the best creature that he could study to attain his goal.

Immortality and the ability to be immune to almost everything including poisons.

Now that Xu Ke thought about it, Lyca must have known about this all along. And that's why she schemed to get in her because she wanted the same too. Right now, Xu Ke couldn't really think straight.

He was angry, furious, and was about to explode. At the same time, Lyca's actions confuse him. It was risky, too risky.

If she planned all this, she should have known the risk. Moreover, if Shen Qui knew about the plan, then it should be logical for him to stop her from doing something that would get her killed, right? Unless Shen Qui's death wasn't planned at all?

Perhaps, Lyca just started planning after Shen Qui's death?

"Ahhh!" Xu Ke let out a frustrated scream. Just as he thought he already connected all the dots, another mystery would prevent him from doing this. He used the knife and tried to attack Lyca who was able to squeeze her way out of him. But again, he failed.

It was because of his mask.

It was preventing him to see and therefore is causing some problems with his martial arts.

Lyca's advantage was the gas, the environment.

This infuriated Xu Ke even more. He knew that Lyca didn't have any weapon to defend herself. Contrary to Lyca, he had the weapons. Daggers and guns, but he was too scared to use the guns, scared that it would react the gas now that it had become thicker around him.

Plus Lyca's movements are too quick for the knives.

"I'll give you a chance to attack me," Lyca's eyes were wide as she beamed at him. "I won't defend myself at all."

When Xu Ke heard this, he didn't hesitate as he once again neared her. This time, he used his leg, sending her a kick that could easily make any normal person faint. To his surprise, Lyca easily held his leg, stopping him.

"You How?" he hissed as he tried to pull his leg back.

"You are growing weaker," Lyca said. "Must be the gas."

"You "

"It's the wine." Lyca's words send shivers down his spine. She continued, "Some chemicals are useless when they are alone. For instance, alcohol. But it had a really good reaction to other elements in the world. That's just the wonderful thing about some elements. The more you combine them the more reaction you would get." The smile on her face turned sinister. "Guess what would happen if someone drunk, would smell the gas?"

Just as she said, Xu Ke felt his limbs started to go numb.

"Obviously, I am not going to kill you," Lyca said. "I mean After all, I still needed to know all the secrets that your body holds."

Xu Ke's gaze turned frigid when he felt himself losing control of his leg. "You "

"Now, this is how it felt to be helpless." Lyca interrupted his words. "I know you will get used to the feeling once I started dissecting every part of your body while you are conscious."

"You are crazy."

"Not as crazy as you!" Lyca hissed before he easily lifted him up and throw him towards the glass wall, breaking it into small pieces. Seeing Xu Ke on the floor, bloodied and weak made her chuckle. "What goes around comes around. It's my turn, Xu Ke. It's my fucking turn!"