

Lazily 551

Chapter 551: Everything is Yours

"So, it's done?" Gabi was sitting on the terrace of her room, drinking her coffee while reading some documents that needed her signature.

"Yes. The DNA test is done. Results will be out tomorrow."

"That's good." To be able to expedite the result is another convenience that money can give you.
"Did something happen?"

"But an hour ago, our security caught Miss Clarisse walking around the gardens. They did nothing to her, but warn her not to do it again. However, she made a fuss about it online."

"What did she do?"

"She was ranting about how rich people always look down on people like her and treating her like a thief when she only wanted a new background to shoot her videos."

"Did she name, names?"

"No."

"Then leave her be. Let her rant all she wants." She couldn't understand why they think something like this would affect her. Gabi wasn't planning to run for any office or become a well-known figure. Why should some random video affect her like this?

This, however, is going to affect Alfons.

Just as she expected, when Alfons heard about the videos, he secretly went to see the grandmother and granddaughter pair. "What was that for?" he hissed. "Did you know that once people would figure out our connections, they would think you are trying to tell them I didn't treat you well? How could you air our family laundry to millions of people?"

"Brother, why are you so worried? This is "

"Clarisse! Are you Are you really this dumb?"

"I don't want you to do anything. Stop posting videos about discrimination! Did you think people care about that?"

"But the guards humiliated me!"

"I already warned you about it! Gabi isn't someone that you could threaten with some measly video! Do you think this would somehow shake her core?"

Clarisse pouted. "But I didn't name, names. And people don't know that I am a Sutton too!"

"So, you aren't planning to tell them that you are someone from the Sutton Family?"

"That "

"We are related! I will introduce you to the public to help you! I will introduce you as my long-lost cousin and you already know this! But what would happen if they found out about your video? Huh?"

"Brother, I didn't mean to do that. Don't worry, I will immediately delete the video now."

"Alfons you are going overboard this time." Grandmother Mary sighed. "I know that you are upset, but you don't have to shout like that. Your cousin made a mistake and she won't do it again."

"Leave us Clarisse. I will talk to grandmother."

"Alright. I will go ahead and delete the video."

Seeing that Clarisse is gone, Alfons immediately said. "I'm sorry. I didn't mean to yell and act like that."

"What's wrong? You were always calm and collected, but this time "

"Our plans aren't going well."

"What do you mean?"

"I don't have access to the funds. I can no longer give you and uncle some money."

"But "

"Gabi took it away after father died."

Just as he expected, his grandmother's face turned ugly. "Why would she do that? You have been managing the funds since you turned eighteen. So why now?"

"I don't understand. She said it was because she wanted to get stronger to support me and stop the rumors that she is taking advantage of me. But now that I think about it, those words didn't make sense at that time."

"Why didn't you stop her? Reason with her?"

"I tried to." Alfons slowly put the teacup on the table before letting out another sigh. "However, she would use her sickness and tears to stop me. She would cry and act all pitiful or angry, then leave me alone."

"Are you saying that a little girl is trying to play you?"

"Yes," Alfons said. "I didn't tell uncle and aunt about this matter. I didn't want them to worry."

"So what are you going to do about this now? Your uncle's debt how could we pay it without your money?"

"I am using my own money to support Uncle," Alfons said. His uncle got those debts because of his mother, so it is only reasonable that he used his money to pay them.

"But you are going to run for council in the next election. How are you "

"It's fine grandmother. I will think of ways to deal with it."

"Stop sending your uncle money."

"Hm?" Just as he expected, the old woman caved in. He smiled inwardly. "What are you talking about?"

"Right now, the family isn't doing very well, but we can still survive. Plus, Clarisse is earning from her job. We need to act low key. If your words were right, then Gabi must have noticed something and that's why she changed."

"I don't know."

"Do you think she knew about your father's death?"

"I don't think so. If she knew, she would have exploded. She loves that old man."

"Then stop giving us money. We will wait for the result."

"Really?"

"Yes. We will do it like this, for now. Once the result is out, we will do our best to get close to her and earn her trust. You already heard about your uncle's plan, yes?"

"Will Clarisse really do that?"

"Yes. As long as it is for the family. She is willing to catch a bullet for her."

"But uncle already assured that they won't hit anything fatal, right?"

"Yes. After Clarisse saves Gabi, then I am sure that they will grow closer. However, Alfons, she won't be able to do it if we won't have the chance to go near that mansion."

"Don't worry about that. I will find ways. However, Gabi is already planning to give you money and kick you out of the mansion. So you have to find some ways to avoid that."

"I understand. I already prepared some medications in advance. Stop worrying about it. That girl won't be able to kick us out of this place." An evil smile appeared on the older woman's face. "Alfons, remember this everything is yours. The Sutton Family is yours and everything that Gabi owns is yours. You deserve it. Do you understand?"

Chapter 552: Money!

"So, you are going to stay in this place for two weeks?" Old Man Ren couldn't help but feel glad that his granddaughter finally decided to visit him in the Ren Mansion. However, a part of him felt worried too. He knew that Gabi wouldn't just come here because she felt like it. From the old man's point of view, his granddaughter isn't that idle.

"Yes, I really hope you don't mind, grandfather," Gabi said. "The result of the DNA test is today. However, I already asked my lawyers to handle it. I have not time to deal with those people." She knew that Alfons would never give up. Since he made those come people, there is a possibility that he had a backup plan. In case, she won't do what he wants.

She knew Alfons to the bone. She knew how ruthless he was. So, he chose to make those people leave before coming back to the mansion. She also used this time to bond with her grandfather. "Plus, I wanted to accompany you, grandfather. It has been years since we last enjoyed some free time together."

"Ah this child. I get that you are not worried about money, however, is it really alright for you to take a two-week break and come here?"

"Yes. Plus, I only check the stocks. Aside from that, I don't do anything else." Plus, she purposely came to this city because she wanted to meet someone that would become important in Alfons' team in the future. Right now, since Alfons is still starting, his influence isn't that big. She is planning to recruit everyone that would become Alfons' ally in the future. And if she couldn't recruit them she is going to ruin them. It was that simple.

"How are you going to deal with your newfound relative?"

"Just give them money then I won't meet them again." She answered almost immediately.

"You don't want to meet them anymore? Not even get close to them? I heard that there was a woman your age?"

"No."

"Are you sure they are going to stop bothering you, though?"

"Yes, they will."

"You sound confident." The old man nodded. "However, if you can't deal with it anymore, just tell me. I will help you."

"Thank you, grandfather. However, I am confident that they wouldn't come back and bother me anymore."

Meanwhile, Alfons was still confident that his plan would come to fruition. He had prepared a lot of things for today and he knew that he would never fail. "By the way, where is she? It was normal for Gabi not to join us for breakfast but lunch too?" He asked Spencer. Today, they are having their lunch in the gardens. It was a beautiful day to have lunch outside.

"Ah, Miss Gabi left early for her trip."

"Excuse me?" Alfons met his grandmother's eyes before looking at Spencer. "What did you say?"

"Miss Gabi left early for her vacation. She is going to come back two weeks from now."

"Huh? Why would she leave now?"

"This trip has been scheduled for weeks, sir."

"But today, the result of the DNA test will arrive. She could have waited"

"Ah, Mr. Kasper is going to handle it, sir. We already prepared the money"

"I'm sorry, but what money are you talking about?" Clarisse couldn't help but ask in confusion.

"The money that we will give you before you leave the mansion."

"Excuse me?"

"Miss Gabi said that after the DNA result, we need to guide you out of the mansion."

"This "

"Why would Gabi say that?"

"Sir, the young miss didn't want strangers inside the house. She even said that if they refuse to leave, we needed to call the police."

"What?" Alfons glared at Spencer. What is happening here? How could Gabi leave just like that? He immediately felt his head aching. He had a lot of things to take care of and Gabi isn't helping him anymore! That woman has become a huge problem that he needed to prioritize before he could even run for office this upcoming election!

The three of them couldn't help but feel unease at the current situation. After all, they never thought that Gabi would easily dodge their plans. "I don't want them to leave. They are Sutton's too! They have the right to be here."

"Yes, sir. Miss Gabi already said that you would say that. However, she wanted to remind you that she never received any inheritance from the late prime minister. The house and money were given to you. So, if you wanted them to stay in the city then you should let them stay in your own house."

BANG

Alfons' hand slammed against the table. "Spencer, how dare you say that to me?"

"Sir, I am only trying to tell you what Miss Gabi said this morning."

"You wanted me to believe that she actually said those things?"

"Yes, sir. Miss Gabi already expected that you won't listen to a mere butler like me so she left a voice recording. Let me play it now."

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[Brother, I've been so tired in the past few weeks, so I decided to take a break to recover. No need to call me. My phone's off. I did that to avoid any more stress. My doctor said that being too stressed is the reason why I am sick. Meaning, I needed to avoid you.]

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[Anyway, I left this recording because I didn't want to wake you up. I know you were very tired too. I want the grandmother and granddaughter pair to leave. They are bad news.] Gabi's voice turned serious. [I already made a background check and know that Miss Mary isn't really sick. And his son, our uncle, owes an enormous amount of money from an international criminal group. This is because of his gambling.] Alfons' face turned dark. He expected that Gabi would pay people to check out their backgrounds, but she didn't expect it to be so thorough!

[I know you wanted to become a public official. So, getting close to them wouldn't do you any good. Just listen to me. I am only concerned about you. And before you say that, Miss Clarisse is innocent. I have proof that she liked to bully people in her school. If this goes out I am sure people would think that you haven't given her any advice despite being her relative. So, let's settle this with money, alright?]

Chapter 553: A Threat to His Plans

Before Alfons could say anything, Gabi continued, [Ah, I forgot. Since you receive all the money from father, the original Sutton, I think it is best to give them a portion of it. Since it's like this, I

don't want to disrespect my mother by giving her hard earned money to strangers. Thank you. I will bring souvenirs. One more thing These people are going to say that I am trying to frame them. They are shameless, after all. However, no need to worry. I have solid evidence that will support my claims. We can release it on the media if you want to. Bye]

BEEP

"That's not true! I never "Clarisse's face turned red.

"Alfons, what is going on? Why would she frame us like this?" Mary asked, confused. Before they could do anything to her, Gabi was already aggressively attacking them. If this continues, it would be hard for them to retaliate anymore.

"That's right. I bullied no one! How could she frame me? Grandmother this woman is too vicious! She is really looking down on us."

"Clarisse, stop talking." Mary immediately warned. They couldn't just say whatever they want in front of the butler who was clearly on Gabi's side. "Alfons"

"Ah, Sir. I believe the person who delivered the result is already here. Shall I bring them in?" Spencer uttered with a harmless smile on his face.

"I will call Gabi, first."

"Ah, Sir, I believe unreachable."

"" Alfons frowned as he dialed Gabi's number. Just as Spencer said, the number is indeed unreachable. He clenched his teeth. "Do you know where is she?"

"No, sir."

"Then " What is he going to do now? "First, let me take you to the house. It is about a thirty-minute drive away from here." The only thing that he was sure of was the fact that Gabi wasn't joking. Gabi was bold enough to attack the Sealey Family. How could she cower in front of a nobody like Mary and Clarisse?

"But "

"Are we really going to leave here?"

"How could you just let her do what she wants?"

"Clarisse, calm down."

"How could I still calm down after being treated like this?" Clarisse said. "She is so disrespectful. She thought that we came here because of money? No! It was because grandmother is dying! She could have just said it if she didn't want us in her life! What's the point of framing us and treating us like criminals?"

"Clarisse, calm down. I will talk to her. Don't worry about it. Once it's proven that you are indeed our relatives, I am certain that she would come around. This situation must have surprised her." Alfons said. He tried his best to send some warning glare to Clarisse, but it seems that the other didn't get it.

"Why is she acting all touched and mighty? She doesn't even have a single talent in her bones. Intelligent? She was homeschooled and didn't have any friends. She couldn't even adapt to a situation like this! Pah! If her IQ is really high then I am sure her EQ is the exact opposite! What's the use of being intelligent when you have no one in your life!?"

"Clarisse, enough."

"But grandmother that woman is really too much! How could she treat us like this? Just because she grew up without a mother doesn't mean that she has the right to be this rude!"

"Miss Clarisse, I am sure you are not aware of this, but the house is under the late Madam's name. When the late prime minister died, he didn't give the young miss any of his properties because he knew about the Miss' inheritance from her mother. So, everything inside this property is owned by the late madam. I believe Miss Gabi didn't want other people touching her mother's possessions. The young miss has always been like this. She was never the type of person that would allow other people to just waltz inside her life and touch what's hers. I do apologize in advance, but I can't let you insult the miss like this. Please leave immediately or I will call the police for trespassing." Spencer said the same smile was on his face.

"Spencer? How could you treat a guest like that?" Alfons frowned. It seems that Spencer already sided with Gabi. Is that the reason why the latter is acting arrogant?

"Sir, I am just protecting the miss from someone who is insulting her. I will let the miss know about this and asked her to punish me for kicking her guests away." Spencer had that confidence in her voice. It was something that Alfons never heard before.

Seeing that Spencer isn't planning to support him anymore, Alfons' face just got darker and darker. He was losing all of his cards! Gabi's actions are truly unpredictable and cruel. Right now, Alfons isn't confident that he would be able to control her in the near future. "Let's see the DNA result first. Then I will drive them towards the house." Alfons made this decision because he didn't want to cause any more ruckus.

He didn't want this to affect his candidacy.

After a few minutes, Spencer came back with a man. Alfons immediately told the man to open the envelope and .

"Huh? How could it be negative?" Clarisse was the first one who reacted after hearing the result. "How could it be like that?"

'That bitch!' Alfons could only feel his blood boiling from too much anger. Clearly, Gabi tampered with the result. Gabi was actually sinister enough to make him look like a fool! First, she created such a ruckus, making everyone think that Mary and Clarisse were here for the money. Because of this, a few servants heard Clarisse act like that. Second is the result. Gabi must have known that Alfons wouldn't refute the result in front of the servants.

And since the result is negative, there is no reason for Alfons to be this nice to Mary and Clarisse without raising suspicion that he already knew them! He actually fell into that woman's trap!

For the first time in years, Alfons felt like Gabi was a threat to his plans!

Chapter 554: Neutral

Since the DNA said it was negative, the three people who were trying to enjoy their lunch earlier stayed frozen for a few seconds. The three of them realized that one wrong word from them might mean that they already know that they were relatives from the start. That could change everything.

"Ah? Negative?" Spencer said. To everyone, the smile on his face was no longer nice. It was annoying, provoking.

"Are you sure it says negative?" Clarisse grabbed the paper and read it. "How could it be?"

"Clarisse Stop it." Mary immediately sent a warning glare towards her granddaughter. "Since it's already like this, we should just leave." She sent a signal towards Alfons.

"That's right, since it's already like this then it is unfortunate, but you have to leave this mansion," Alfons said. "Spencer, prepare the car." He wanted to make Spencer leave as soon as possible and try to comfort his cousin.

"Understood," Spencer said. He also signaled the other people who were looking at the group to leave.

"What was that? Did she change it?" Clarisse said.

"Yes, she did."

"But how did she know?" Clarisse asked. "Isn't it weird?"

"Actually, there is a possibility that she didn't know that we are indeed relatives. She just asked them to make the result negative. With her money, she could easily do that."

"But Why?"

Silence followed Clarisse's words. Even the old woman couldn't understand why she would fake the result. "Earlier, she said that she would give us money as if she already expected the result to be positive, then she actually changed it to negative," Clarisse mumbled before she realized something. "That scheming bitch! Did she deliberately do it to make herself look innocent and harmless?"

"That is possible. Another possibility is she wanted to document everything. She wanted to have proof. In case you would use your social media to make her look like an evil witch." Alfons was about to lose his calm from the anger inside him.

He fell into her trap!

And he didn't know how to get out of it. If he tries to do a second test then Gabi would surely start investigating the reason why he did it. Then, it wouldn't take too long for her to find out that he knew about them for the past six years now. "For now, the thing that you can do is leave. However, I cannot let you stay in one of my properties anymore. It would be suspicious if I do that."

"Then are you going to send us back to that place?" Clarisse, who already experienced the good stuff in the city, didn't want to go back to the south. She wanted to live here and enjoy the life of an influencer. "I don't want to."

"No, I will call someone. I will send you money for the rent."

"You can't buy us a house?"

"No. I can't. My finances are tight right now."

"But what about your inheritance?"

"I will use that in the upcoming election." Alfons gritted his teeth. "Don't worry, I will take care of everything. For now, just stay calm and don't act like we are close or something. Go back to the house and I will take you to the train station. Then wait for my text for the address of the house."

"What about our plan?" Clarisse said. "If I stay away from this house, then how am I supposed to save her? How could she trust me?"

"Clarisse listen to Alfons for now. There will always be a chance to do our plans. Let's go and pack. We are leaving."

Clarisse started sulking. However, no matter how much she felt aggrieved, she couldn't do anything about it. The feeling of helplessness soon started to seep inside her. So, she followed her grandmother back to the house and pack.

Unbeknownst to them, someone else is listening to that conversation.

"It seems that they are planning to harm me," Gabi uttered as she stared at her laptop. Everything that they said just now was recorded and was automatically transmitted into her laptop. Because of that, she heard everything that they said.

And because of this recording, she finally realized that Alfons isn't alone in his scheme. Someone else is helping him from the shadows. Or, he won't be able to hide the fact that he had relatives. Who could it be?

In the past life, she didn't meet these people. So, she wasn't too sure who was supporting them.

She bit her lower lip as she thought of the cards that she had now. That recording earlier could be used to ruin Alfons's reputation. However, she needed something more solid than this. She closed her laptop and decided to walk around the Ren Mansion.

"Cousin!"

"Hm?" Gabi froze when she heard Earl's voice. She turned towards the parking lot. "You are here?"

"Ah, yes. I decided to join you for some snacks." Earl gave his coat to his secretary.

"I " She wanted to be alone to think.

"Let's go around the back?"

She faked a smile and followed him towards the back of the mansion. Unlike the mansion of the Sutton Family, this place has a lot of trees and the back of the mansion has a bamboo forest where her grandfather usually enjoyed his tea. "Did something happen?" Gabi asked. She wasn't that stupid, she already sensed that her cousin didn't just come here because of some tea.

"Cousin, do you know anyone from the Quigly Family?"

"The Quigly's?" Gabi raised an eyebrow. "I've heard of them. Why?"

"Well I think they are purposely giving grandfather a hard time. Maybe it was just my hallucination, but it seems that the current head of the Quigly Family didn't like a grandfather. However, I am wondering why they would suddenly act like we are enemies."

"What are you talking about? The Quigly's and the Ren's were not enemies, but they were not our friends either." But most importantly, why was Earl telling her this information? The Quigly's is another rich family. However, they are not neutral and had a lot of political connections. Because of this, the Quigly's and the Ren's never became close. Not in the past. And not in the future.

Chapter 555: Kicking his Crotch

"They are openly opposing grandfather?" she asked, frowning.

"Yes. With their connections in politics, I think grandfather would have a hard time with everything."

"I understand."

"Really?"

"Yes."

"You didn't think I am crazy?"

"Nope. Let me look into it. I will call you once I get something." Gabi uttered. She then continued listening to her cousin talk about the company and the Quigly. Soon, the two had tea and talk about an upcoming party.

"You wanted me to accompany you?"

"Isn't it time that you show yourself to everyone?"

"I When is this?"

"It's a charity gala. That would be next week. You should come with me and meet some people." He was staring at her nervously. Seeing this, Gabi couldn't help but laugh. Being tense around her doesn't really suit her handsome and tall cousin.

"Alright, just stop looking at me like that."

"Like what?" he asked.

"Like a puppy. It doesn't suit your face. If a woman would see you like this, they would surely not see you as a future husband but treat you just like a good brother instead." This face is very popular for second male lead characters in the novel that she read in the past.

Good, kind, and caring. Sweet and gentle. Someone that would treat the female lead better than how the toxic male lead treats her. Of course, the female lead would always choose the toxic male lead since they have a colder look on their face, a much freezing gaze, and twelve-packs abs.

Just the thought of it, made her laugh.

"Really? Puppies didn't sound so bad."

"" she was speechless.

"Alright I will not bother you anymore. I will leave now. I will see you tomorrow. Let's have dinner together."

"Alright." She waved her hand and watched him leave the bamboo forest. She then closed her eyes and inhaled the sweet scent of bamboos around her. It was refreshing, relaxing. No wonder why her grandfather love to stay in this place.

Gabi lifted her head and stared at the blue cloudless sky just as a cold breeze of wind made its presence around her. This place was too peaceful, she love it.

She stared at the small hut nearby. It wasn't really a hut but just a small outdoor seating made of bamboos. It had a roof, a table, and bamboo chairs. Behind one of the chairs was a cozy hammock.

Smiling, she made her way into the hammock, immediately making herself comfortable.

When was the last time that she spent some time like this? Closing her eyes, she extended her senses and smelled the surroundings while listening to the chirping sound of the birds. If she knew that a place like this was inside the Ren Estate, she would have come here sooner.

"Hey"

"Huh?" she opened her eyes and froze when she saw a huge face in front of her. "Wha "

"Booo!"

"Aden?" Gabi gasp, her hand covered her lips when Aden withdrew his face. "Why are you " Was she dreaming? She rubbed her eyes before slowly pinching her leg.

This... Wasn't a dream. "How come you are here?" Almost immediately, she looked at the CCTV's surrounding this place.

"Ah, no need to worry about anyone seeing us. The CCTV's won't work in this area for the next ten minutes."

"You Why are you here?" Freezing the CCTV's and secretly coming inside the guarded estate made it look like he was here to do some bad things. Was he here to assassinate her? Her gaze turned guarded, her senses on high alert.

She didn't have anything to defend herself right now, aside from her nails that could surely scratch his handsome face. That is only if he would give her the opportunity to attack him. Then what about his crotch? Her gaze landed on his crotch. He was tall and

"Wait are you planning to attack me, right now?" he asked.

"Huh?"

"Why are you staring at me like that?" His tone turned accusatory...

"Like what?" She didn't cower in front of his cold eyes.

"Are you planning to kick my male sexual organ, right now?"

"Huh?" Her mouth dropped, she dragged her eyes towards his as her face turned hot. "What What are you talking about? And how could you say something like that in front of a maiden?"

"Heh."

Turning her head away, Gabi immediately cleared her throat. She had overreacted. If he was planning to attack her then he wouldn't personally come here inside the mansion where there were a lot of security personnel around. Moreover, he wouldn't really greet her before killing her, right? "Anyway"

"Gosh, you are so obvious." He walked towards one of the bamboo chairs and sat like he owned the place. "Come sit and stop thinking that I am here to kill you. If I wanted to kill someone, I would just kill them in their sleep, less effort, quick and easy."

"" She gulped. This man is weird. "Why did you personally come here? I mean you can't just barge in my grandfather's property like that!"

"Why not?"

"People would think you are here to assassinate someone."

"But I'm not."

She knew she wouldn't win this argument. She took a deep, soothing breath to calm herself. "Why did you come?"

"I wanted to tell you something and since I was around the area, I decided to visit you."

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"You don't believe me?"

"No."

"Alright," he nodded.

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"Anyway, I came here to let you know that Lyle Quigly had been begging her parents to let her marry your cousin."

"Alfons?"

"Yes. And it seems that she is planning to hurt you."

"Huh?" Why would she do that?

"You are young. Assuming that you didn't have a will, everything that belongs to you would go to Alfons if you die. That would give him both the money and influence to stand next to that woman."

"" Unbelievable. Lyle wouldn't be that stupid, right?

"I came here to look around and discovered that the security is lacking compared to your mansion. The CCTV? I can hack it in ten seconds."

"" So fast? Was he boasting?

"The electronic gates, I can unlock it in seconds too. Even the window in your room isn't bulletproof. Too lacking it's just too lacking."