

Chapter 88 To Serve With Love

When Michaela woke up the next day, Jonathan was no longer in the room. She was in utter embarrassment when she recalled what had happened the night before.

“Argh!” she shouted into her blanket to vent before getting out of bed to wash up.

When she was walking down the stairs, she saw Jonathan packing things up. When he saw her, he went up to her.

“Good morning, Mr. Jonathan.” Michaela pretended to be calm so that no one could see how nervous she was.

Jonathan, on the other hand, was acting more naturally than her. He even grabbed her hand and asked, Are you feeling better? Do you want to rest for another day?”

“No. I’m feeling much better now,” Michaela answered. If I were to stay with him for another day, I’m going to go insane! Besides, I’m actually feeling a lot better.

Normally, she would only experience extreme pain on the first day, and she would be completely fine the next.

In addition, Jonathan had taken good care of her the day before. When she woke up that morning, even though she was still experiencing a slight pain in her stomach, she felt very energized.

When she lowered her gaze to glance at the hand that was holding hers, she couldn’t help but notice how warm, pretty, and slender his fingers were. She felt her heart thumping, and she was at a loss for words.

“I knew you were going to say no, but that’s all right. I’ve already prepared everything you need for the day. There’s some soup in the insulated bottle. Bring this heating pad to work, okay? For this blanket, you can put it on the chair when you sit. It’ll be way more comfortable if you do. In this bag, you’ll find sanitary pads enough for the whole day. I’ve also packed a pack of snacks for you. Remember not to drink iced water at work, okay?”

Michaela was bewildered when she saw all the bags on the couch. After a while, she asked, “Are all of these for me?”

“Isn’t that obvious?” Jonathan glanced at her before walking toward the dining room.

Not only is he the CEO of Stanplex Corporation, but he’s also the founder of Caelfall Corporation! Did the legendary figure in the business world just prepare my personal items for me? Michaela was shocked by how thoughtful Jonathan was.

Even Wayne, who was standing nearby, couldn’t help but flash a proud smile. How thoughtful of Mr. Xander! Not only did he do everything on his own, but he’s also so caring! He should’ve been like this in the beginning! I bet he’s going to leave his single life behind pretty soon.

Honey oatmeal was served as one of the breakfast dishes that morning. As Michaela was eating her oatmeal, she kept glancing at Jonathan because she couldn’t believe what was happening before her eyes.

Jonathan could feel Michaela looking at him, and it turned out he wasn’t as calm as he portrayed himself to be. Ultimately, he couldn’t help but ask, “Is there something you want to tell me?”

“Mr. Jonathan, since you know so much, are you sure you’ve never had a girlfriend before? Or is it you’ve been dumped before, and you’re too ashamed to admit it?” In truth, Michaela had been wondering about that since the night before.

When she saw what happened that morning, she got even more suspicious. How could he have known so much if he hadn’t been in a relationship? Could it be that he’s been lying about it?

When Michaela turned toward him curiously, all she saw was his stern and solemn expression.

Seeing that, she suddenly became wary. She then cleared her throat to clear up the awkward tension. “I was just joking! Haha. Don’t take it too seriously, okay?”

“Michaela Lingard.”

“Huh?”

Jonathan would only call her by her full name when she had irritated him.

Michaela knew that, and she wanted nothing more than to flee the scene. Before she could, however, she heard him saying mischievously, “Are you from outer space? Since we’re blessed with the internet, don’t you think I can learn something there? Besides, who else is worthy of my intimate loving care if not you?”

When Michaela was on the way to work, she felt like Jonathan had placed her under a spell. Otherwise, why do I keep hearing his voice in my head?

Even before getting out of the car, Jonathan reminded her to clear her schedule for that night because he wanted to have dinner with her. In response, Michaela simply nodded mechanically in agreement. She had only regained her senses when she arrived in her office.

“Why do you look like you’ve been possessed so early in the morning? What’s bothering you?” When Lorelei saw Michaela deep in her thoughts, she waved her hand in front of the woman in an effort to help her regain her senses.

“It’s nothing!” Michaela’s eyes sparkled. She then put down her bags and changed the topic. “About yesterday—”

“Jayden was such a jerk! I left in a hurry after his identity was exposed. I’m so sorry I didn’t get to inform you before I left, Mich!”

As a matter of fact, Vincent didn’t give her a chance to do so. Instead, he just shoved her into the car. She didn’t dare to retaliate because he looked frightening then.

Once again, Michaela was reminded of what had happened at the restaurant the night before. She quickly shook her head and said, “That’s all right. After you got home, did you tell your mom to find someone more worthy for your blind date next time? Men nowadays are all pretentious. They’re all nothing but wolves in sheep’s clothing They’re so evil!”

Perhaps she was afraid of Michaela finding out about the truth, but Lorelei had an odd look on her face when the events of the night before were mentioned. “I’ll tell her that when an opportunity presents itself. So don’t worry.”

That day, both of them had their own concerns. Michaela chose not to dwell on them and started working after calming herself down.

Lorelei, on the other hand, held her head in exasperation when she recalled what happened the night before.

Her meal the night before didn’t go so well. Since Vincent was present, not only was the atmosphere tense, but her father, Glen Summerfield, also looked visibly upset.

After all, Vincent was known to be a playboy. Although the Sullivan family was a prominent family, no parents would want their daughter to marry an unreliable man.

Besides, Lorelei was the Summerfield family’s only daughter. That was even more of a reason to make sure she was to marry a good guy.

Lorelei thought she could purposefully make Vincent’s life difficult when he invited himself into her home. All she wanted to do was to discourage him.

However, her father had invited Vincent into the study after dinner. When they came out, her father was smiling from ear to ear. In addition, he seemed like he had fun talking to Vincent.

In the end, Glen told her that he had given them his blessing to start dating each other.

Lorelei was bewildered upon hearing that. Did I say I want him to be my boyfriend? How on earth did I suddenly end up with a boyfriend? What the hell is going on?

She was even more infuriated when she saw Vincent smiling smugly back at her.

As she was recalling what happened the night before, her phone started ringing. She immediately declined the call after sweeping a glance at the caller ID. Why can’t he just leave me alone? Did he think I’d just do as he wishes after getting my parents’ blessings? What a joke! Dream on!

Right then, a delivery man knocked on the project team’s door. When everyone turned toward him, he uttered, “May I know who’s Lorelei? These flowers are from your boyfriend. Please sign here!”

Boyfriend? Everyone knew Lorelei was into Alois. However, they were also aware that she had changed a lot ever since she took her emergency leave from work.

Not only was she driving a luxurious car, but she also started wearing expensive clothes to work. Suddenly she ended up with a boyfriend? That’s fast!

With everyone’s eyes on her, Lorelei said calmly, “I’m Lorelei, but I don’t have a boyfriend. So, I’m not going to accept those flowers.”

The delivery man was dumbstruck. I’m just a messenger and a delivery man... Why is my life so difficult?